

SUFFRAGE FOR THE AUSTRIANS

Hundreds of Thousands Parade In Different Cities For Political Freedom.

PREMIER GRANTS THE DEMANDS

Announces That The Crown Has Conceded The Requests Of The People And Promises To Protect All Subjects.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-MORRIS.] Vienna, Nov. 29.—Tuesday marked a new epoch in Austrian history, for the Austrian people throughout the entire land made known to the crown their imperial demand for equal suffrage, and even as this demand was being voiced the crown, through Premier Baron Gautsch von Frankenthurn, in parliament was assuring the people that its will would be done. The premier promised to bring in by the end of February a bill providing for a full and free universal, equal and direct suffrage. The people made known their demand by a series of monster demonstrations in all the principal cities and towns of the country. From only one town, Austerlitz, are serious disorders reported. There the troops fired on disorderly demonstrators, killing two and wounding thirty. Otherwise the demonstrations were characterized by the maintenance of order and dignity. Great Parade for Freedom. Hundreds of thousands of men paraded, thus emphasizing their demand for political freedom. Such a demonstration was never before witnessed in Austria. The most impressive feature of the whole day in Vienna was found in the fact that not a single voice was raised, as the masses marched silently but earnestly and with unmistakable determination. Parliament opened at 11 o'clock and at noon Premier Baron Gautsch von Frankenthurn announced the granting of suffrage to the people. Between 10 a. m. and 3 p. m. fully 175,000 men and women marched past the parliament buildings, each person wearing on the arm a red cloth band bearing words imperatively demanding the granting of equal suffrage. The demonstrators turned out in much larger numbers than had been expected and the day's occurrence has made a deep and serious impression upon the country at large. The premier's words in parliament relating to suffrage made a favorable impression, particularly upon the Germans, who are gratified because of the government's promise to protect the various nationalities composing the population of the empire. In this they see an assurance of the continuance of their national predominance.

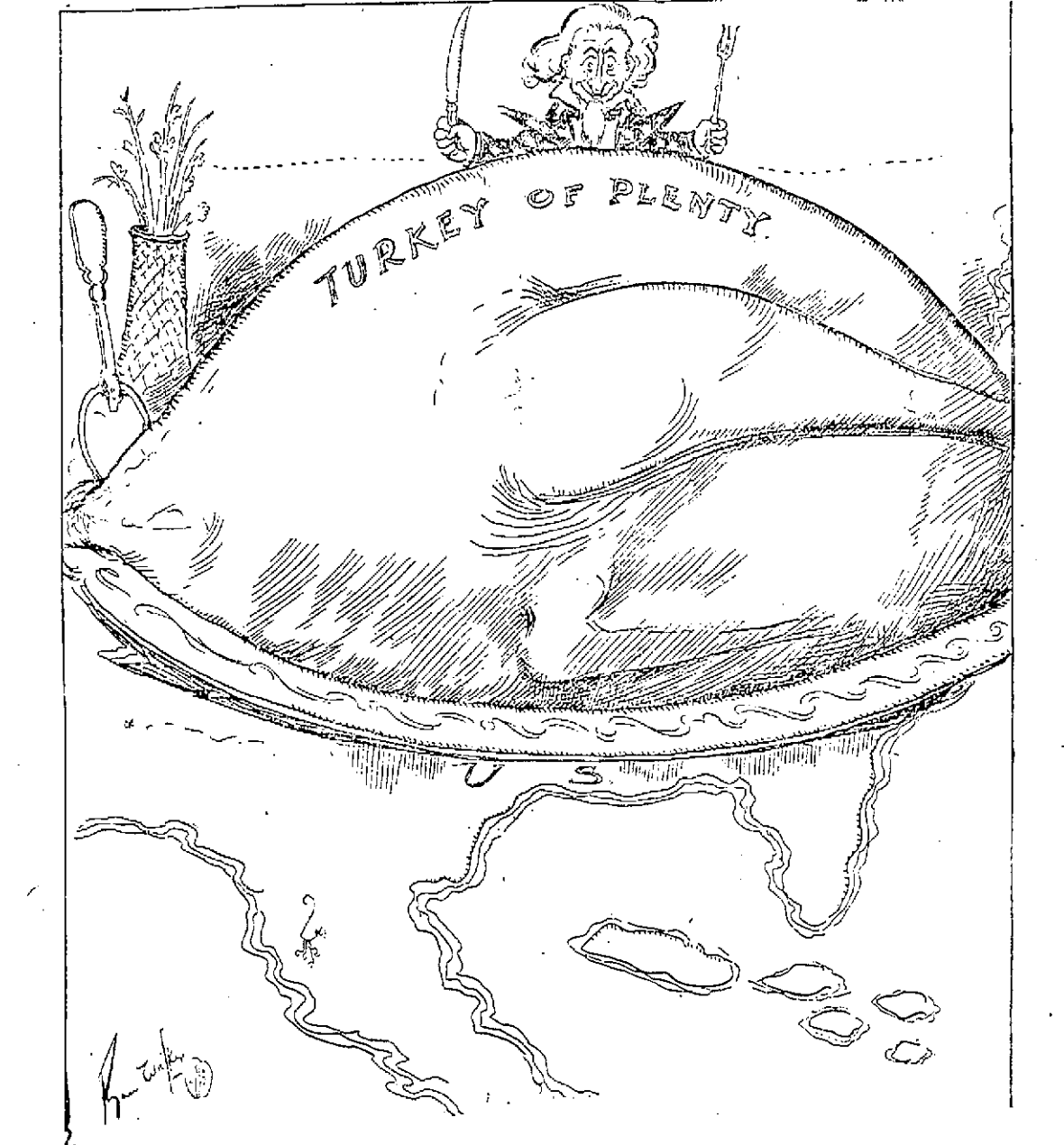
NINE DROWN IN A WRECK AT SUPERIOR

Steamer Mataafe Wrecked, and Men Perish Within Sight of the Shore.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-MORRIS.] Duluth, Minn., Nov. 29.—Nine men were drowned on the steamer Mataafe which is ashore near Superior. The vessel is pounding against the ice which is rapidly forming. The stern is caved in and the sides are slowly giving way. The names of those lost are: William Most, chief engineer; Cleveland; Claude Farringer, second engineer; Cleveland; James E. Turley, Buffalo; William Gilchrist, oiler; Ontario; Carl Carlson, oiler, Chicago; Henry Wright, steward, Cleveland; Walter Bush, second cook, Amherstburg; fireman and deckhand, shipped at Conneaut, names unknown. The captain and the remainder of the crew were rescued this morning. Those lost were in the stern part of the ship.

LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

A Novel Method. Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 29.—George Sackett, aged forty, a carpenter of Colfax, committed suicide this morning by driving a chisel into his breast with a mallet. Domestic troubles were the cause. Goes to Prison. Peoria, Ill., Nov. 29.—Dougherty, the bank embezzler, was taken to Joliet this morning and begins his sentence. Burglars Again. Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 29.—Burglars dynamited the Story City post office and got one hundred and ten dollars and escaped. Another Demonstration. London, Nov. 29.—The unemployed poor made another demonstration today. It was directed against the Duchess of Fife, the King's eldest daughter. Education in Virginia. Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 29.—The largest and most representative gathering of friends of education ever assembled



FORTY-ONE POUNDS WEIGHT OF TURKEY

That Will Grace the Roosevelt Board in the Whitehouse Tomorrow at Dinner.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Washington, Nov. 29.—President Roosevelt spent a very busy day today clearing away all business, preparatory for tomorrow's holiday. His Rhode Island turkey, weighing forty-one pounds, has arrived and will be served upon the presidential board tomorrow in true American style. Several members of the diplomatic corps, as well as members of congress have out-of-town engagements and are leaving the city tonight, but will return to Washington Friday, for special committee meetings which are to be held Friday and Saturday, preceding the opening of congress next Monday.

BURTON OF OHIO IS AFTER SPEAKERSHIP

"Sawin' Wood and Sayin' Nothin'" is Motto Followed by His Henchmen at Washington.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Washington, Nov. 29.—The friends of Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, are not saying much, but they are working as hard as it is possible for the supporters of any man can work, in the interests of his election for speaker of the house, to succeed "Uncle" Joseph Cannon. Mr. Burton is regarded by his colleagues as an unusually capable, strong, aggressive, independent and a close student of public affairs. The rumor that Speaker Cannon intends to depose many democratic members of committees may malitate against him to the advantage of Mr. Burton, but the present speaker's friends say that they will have no trouble in re-electing Mr. Cannon if he desires to retain his seat, and there is no doubt that he entertains such a desire. A writ of error was acknowledged by the court and the bill of exceptions filed. A motion for a writ of error to act as a supercedas was granted. The case will now be reviewed by the United States supreme court. A bond of five thousand dollars was filed for appearance in the higher court.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Liabilities of \$410,234 and assets of uncertain value were scheduled by Seth Perkins, a prominent contractor of Boston, in a voluntary petition in bankruptcy filed yesterday. The petition showed \$75,000 due to the United States government in taxes and other claims. Arguments on the petition of the directors of the defunct Enterprise National Bank of Allegheny to open the judgments for \$2,500,000 entered against them by the commonwealth of Pennsylvania on bonds given the state as sureties for \$1,000,000 deposited in the bank when it failed, were made yesterday in Pittsburgh, Pa., the court directing the attorneys to file briefs. No Drunks Today. On the day before Thanksgiving there were no drunks in court. Whereat there is another cause for thanks. Yesterday John Smith paid \$2 and costs and Otto Gierke was released on condition that he take the pledge. Climate Kills Blue Poppies. The attempt to acclimatize in England the famous blue poppy of Tibet has proved a failure.

MERIWETHER TELLS OF "NAGGING" TACTICS

Says They Differed from Hazing in Many Important Respects; Could Stand Hazing.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-MORRIS.] Annapolis, Nov. 29.—Meriwether testified in his own defense in the court martial case this morning. He told of the constant "nagging" and "nagging," and differentiated between "nagging" and "hazing" by saying "nagging" meant heaping upon him of personal indignities and low personal indignities and low personal indignities, which were intolerable, whereas hazing was merely forcing him to do physical exercise, of which he could stand any amount. Meriwether said he was grieved by the expression "he said." "I think Branch is indeed more fortunate than I in going to sleep and not waking up any more, than to be in my place and live after the deplorable affair." Under a rigorous examination Meriwether's testimony was unshaken and the boy was frankly honest in a repetition of the story of his relations with Branch.

GIVES TESTIMONY IN THE INSURANCE CASE

Former State Senator of New York Testifies as to the Mutual's Work.

New York, Nov. 29.—Former Senator Chas. P. McClellan of Dobbs Ferry was a witness in the insurance case this morning. McClellan told of his thirty years' acquaintance with Andrew C. Fields, the legislative agent of the Mutual. He said Fields had never tried to influence legislation through him. Their acquaintance was merely social through the close associations of their families at Dobbs Ferry. The witness said Fields gave him a campaign contribution, but he did not suspect it was from the Mutual. John C. McCall, secretary of the New York Life, was recalled to the stand. He said he had searched the books of the company, but could not find where the company had advanced nearly sixty thousand dollars for legal expenses to J. P. Morgan & Co. and Andrew Hamilton. He said he would call on Saturday for Europe and under instructions induce Hamilton to render a full accounting to the committee. McCurdy is Out. The board of trustees of the Mutual Life this afternoon accepted the resignation of Richard A. McCurdy as president and Frederick Cromwell, the treasurer, was chosen temporary president. A number of vouchers bearing McClellan's signature were shown him. He admitted the signature, but could not recall the significance of the appearance on the vouchers. A number of others were produced to refresh his memory, but failed. Senator Armstrong, chairman of the committee, issued a statement to policyholders today, in which he urges them not to let their policies lapse as a result of any disclosures made in this investigation. He declared the policyholders were in better shape now than before the inquiry began.

JANESVILLE BADGERS ARE SCHEDULED TO PLAY GAME AT EDGERTON TOMORROW

Opponents Are To Be Alumni Of The Tobacco City High School. [SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Edgerton, Nov. 29.—The Janesville Badgers will play football at the Drivers park at 3 p. m. Thanksgiving day, against a pick-up team of Edgerton alumni.

UNCLE SAM IS VERY DECIDED

Through The Secretary Of State He Decides Isle Of Pines Dispute Wrong.

CITIZENS MUST OBEY CUBAN LAWS

Elihu Root Makes His Finding In The Case Of The Noted Dispute Over The Ownership Of The Island Near Cuba.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-MORRIS.] Washington, Nov. 29.—The administration has dashed the hopes of the little band of American colonists on the Isle of Pines who have been working toward the separation of the island from Cuba and its inclusion in the United States when Secretary Root, after consultation with the president, made public the text of a letter which he had addressed to Charles Raynard, president of the American club of the Isle of Pines, defining the attitude of the United States government toward the proposed formation of a territorial government in the island as a part of the United States. Text of Secretary's Letter. The secretary was most pointed in the statements in his letter, which is as follows: "Washington, Nov. 28.—Charles Raynard, President of the American Club, Isle of Pines: I have received your letter of Oct. 25, in which you say: "Kindly advise me at your earliest convenience the necessary procedure to establish a territorial form of government for the Isle of Pines, West Indies, U. S. A." "It is no part of the duty of the secretary of state to give advice upon such subjects. I think it proper, however, to answer your inquiry so far as it may be necessary to remove an error under which you appear to rest concerning the status of the Isle of Pines and your rights as residents of that island. "There is no procedure by which you and your associates can lawfully establish a territorial government in that island. The island is lawfully subject to the control and government of the republic of Cuba and you and your associates are bound to render obedience to the laws of that country so long as you remain in the island. If you fail in that obedience you will be justly liable to prosecution in the Cuban courts and to such punishment as may be provided by the laws of Cuba for such offense as you commit. You are not likely to have any greater power in the future. The treaty now pending before the senate, if approved by that body, will relinquish all claim of the United States to the Isle of Pines. "In my judgment, the United States have no substantial claim to the Isle of Pines. The treaty merely accords to Cuba what is hers in accordance with international law and justice. "Island Part of Cuba. "At the time of the treaty of peace which ended the war between the United States and Spain the Isle of Pines was, and has been for several centuries, a part of Cuba. I have no doubt, whatever, that it continues to be a part of Cuba and that it is not and never has been territory of the United States. This is the view with which President Roosevelt authorized the pending treaty and Mr. Hay signed it, and I expect to urge its confirmation. Nor would the rejection of the pending treaty put an end to the control of Cuba over the island. A treaty directly contrary to the one now pending would be necessary to do that and there is not the slightest prospect of such a treaty being made. "You may be quite sure that Cuba will never consent to give up the Isle of Pines and that the United States will never try to compel her to give it up against her will. "Elihu Root."

RAILWAY MEN PREPARE TO COMBAT THE LEGISLATION

The Workers Do Not Like The Esch-Townsend Bill As Proposed For Passage.

Chicago, Nov. 29.—The demonstration on the part of great railway labor bodies of the east against government rate regulation is being paralleled in the west this week. Local branches of the various organizations, from Chicago to the Pacific coast, are gathering together and appointing delegates to attend a big mass-meeting of railroad men in this city next month, for the purpose of adding their protest to that of their eastern brethren against the Esch-Townsend bill or any similar legislation calculated to do injury to railroads. Six hundred and forty-five eastern divisions and lodges of the five railway labor organizations have already taken action against this proposed legislation by congress, and according to the statements of members of the general committee appointed here to take charge of the coming mass-meeting the agitation in the west will assume even greater proportions. The committee, of which C. B. Mahoney is chairman, will meet here on the 10th of December to complete the work of organization. The preliminary meeting, from which the call to the Western branches was issued, was held at the Briggs House and was attended by representatives of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, the Order of Railroad Conductors, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and the Switchmen's Union. A number of prominent western officials of these great railway labor bodies have already declared themselves in very positive terms with regard to the proposition of government rate making, and all who have been heard from state that the sentiment against it throughout the rank and file is universal. F. E. Lucas, chairman of the General Grievance Committee of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen of the Illinois Central system, declared today that the Esch-Townsend bill, and all similar measures, were un-American, and went on to say: "We condemn unsparringly the proposition to establish in this government a bureaucracy, or anything that resembles it. We take issue with those who recommend the passage of this legislation, and, in doing so, we believe we stand in defense of our rights against the theory which has been condemned by practice in every country in the world where it has been tried. We believe that the existing laws, which stand between the people on the one hand and the railroads on the other, are adequate to correct all present evils, and we are prepared to give the hearty support of all our organizations to their

GERMANY REFUSES THE PRESENT TERMS

Secretary Root Has Received Formal Communication from the German Empire.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-MORRIS.] Washington, Nov. 29.—Secretary Root today received from Germany a renunciation of the present tariff agreement when it expires. This is the beginning of a commercial strike unless this country adopts reciprocity measures. Robert G. Squires, United States minister to Cuba, has resigned. He will be succeeded by Edwin V. Morgan, recently appointed minister to Korea. The factory of the Landis Shoe company at Rainyva, Pa., was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, \$75,000.

SENATOR BURTON IS TO SERVE HIS TERM

Sentenced to Six Months in the Iron County Jail of Missouri Today.

[SPECIAL BY SCRIPPS-MORRIS.] St. Louis, Nov. 29.—United States Senator Burton of Kansas was sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the Iron county jail and fined twenty-five hundred dollars. A motion for a new trial was over-ruled. A test of five-inch armor plate for the side of a cruiser, made yesterday by navy officials who are testing plate for new warships at Indian Head, Md., demonstrated that an eight-inch armor-piercing shell, fired at a distance of 1,500 yards, would penetrate the armor easily.



BRIEF HISTORY OF THANKSGIVING

EARLY PILGRIM FATHERS HELD FIRST GENUINE CELEBRATION.

REACHES THROUGH AGES

Celebration of This Nature Can Be Traced Back for Centuries, However.

As the season for Thanksgiving approaches, brief bits of former celebrations are recounted as timely reading matter. Some time ago the Gazette published a story of the year Rock county had two Thanksgivings and now in the Milwaukee Sentinel Belle Blend writes a brief history of this holiday from its origin. So brief and compact is this history of the day's commemoration that it is reprinted below.

Thanksgiving in America, and the identification of turkey at the annual festival, where guests meet over the hospitable board, is one of the national customs that was first celebrated at Plymouth, Mass., in the little Puritan colony, where Massachusetts, the great Indian sachem, and ninety of his braves, came somewhat unexpectedly to visit their palefaced brothers, and were all invited to the feast. Gen. Bradford had asked the chief to be his guest that day and when the whole Indian village responded, he and his fellow townsmen were at loss for enough to give them to eat. So the young hunters of the little colony, armed with their faithful flint locks, went forth into the forest, and came home laden with wild turkeys. The dining hour was delayed a little owing to the needed preparation for so many guests, but when the dinner was served it was a feast of peace, made a few months before, was ratified anew, showing the wisdom of the old adage about the path way to a man's heart, even through the ice of a savage breast. This first Thanksgiving dinner was served in 1621.

The sachem Massasoit was a lusty man, grave of countenance and spare of speech. In his attire he differed little from his followers, excepting that he had about his neck a great chain of wampum, which was his mark of rank the same as the coronet on the head of a king. His face, at the Thanksgiving dinner, according to the memoirs of Edward Winslow, "was painted a sad, redlike murrey, and oiled, both head and face, so that he looked grossly. No courtesy was withheld, however, and after salutations our governor kissing his hands the Indian king kissed him and so they sat down." Following the dinner, the old chronicler goes on to say, "they had much firmer peace; this corbanit (an alien) himself used medication or Massasoit to make his peace, but was able to come near them a long time after."

Winslow had an eye for detail. He described at the first Thanksgiving feast thus: "While turkey, store of water fowl and venison were brought from the forest for the feast, and Massasoit and ninety men were entertained at Plymouth for three days, adding to their share of the feast five deer, which they gave to the governor. Capt. Miles Standish and others, and the colonists had all things in good plenty."

Early in the nineteenth century Dr. George B. Cheever wrote of that first Thanksgiving:

"The festival of an annual Thanksgiving, original among the Jews and of God's own appointment, was never in a like manner observed among any gentle nation, that we are aware of, until our Pilgrim fathers renewed it in New England. Days of fasting and merriment there had been many; saluts' days copied from the Roman calendar festivals of Christmas, and spring carnivals, and holidays; but nothing like the Thanksgiving feast of harvest for the annual bounty of God's providence of which the grateful, joyful feast of tabernacles among the Hebrews was so perfect and delightful an example. Yet not in imitation did it grow up into a habit with our fathers; it was the suggestion and dictate of their own habitual piety; and it is so accordant with every impulse of religion, every feeling of a thankful heart, that from its home and birthplace, in the custom has found its way all over the United States, a custom we trust in God will never be broken."

From time to time in later years that followed the first celebration in New England with its strange guests and bountiful table, a day was specialized for the national thanksgiving; but it did not become a national institution until 1863, when President Lincoln recommended that a day be set aside by proclamation, a precedent which has since then been annually observed. The last Thursday in November is by general consent set aside for the celebration of Thanksgiving. Lincoln's proclamation was remarkable for its deep sincerity and heartfelt sympathy for his wounded country. It is well worthy of repetition.

"The year that is drawing toward its close has been filled with the blessings of fruitful fields and healthful skies. To these bounties, which

After Thanksgiving dinner, smoke a

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It's the best for the money and is having a wonderful sale.

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JANESVILLE IS FREE OF GRAFT

SENSE OF DISCUSSION AT SOCIAL UNION CLUB.

TALKED GRAFT IN GENERAL

Looked at Subject from Many Angles—Opening Meeting of the Year Last Evening.

Continuing its career of success, and popularity the Social Union club opened its fourth year last evening with a supper and program in the auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. building. One hundred members were gathered about the banquet board when the first course was spread upon the tables at half-past six. Those who served were members of the ladies' auxiliary, who had prepared the repast, and a number of young men, members of the association.

Program Committee Reports After the wants of the physical man had been met, Frank P. Starr, leader of the meeting, rapped for order and the report of the program committee was called for. Marshall Richardson, chairman of this body, said that for December "Illustrated Science" had been chosen as the topic. On this program there will be no set subjects but the evening will be given up to actual illustrations of recent advances and latest developments in the scientific field. John Archibald, of the high school faculty, was unanimously chosen leader for this meeting. For January the subject will be literary, the leader determining its nature. In February the "Consequences of the Russo-Japanese War" will be discussed. "New Industrial Processes" was selected for the March meeting. It was suggested that some of the new manufacturing of Janesville, such as beet sugar, be explained, and possibly a few demonstrations be made. The last meeting, in April, will be "Ladies' Night" and the subject is to be settled later. The report was adopted without dissent.

Tribute to Late Member In the death of the late Arthur W. Campbell the Social Union Club suffered a deep loss. Mr. Campbell was prominent in the society and a member of the program committee. Leader Starr called upon Rev. Tipton to speak in memory of the deceased. In part he said: Mr. Campbell, just out of college, came to Janesville a little over a year ago as a stranger. He was a man unobtrusive, clean in habits, careful of speech, of sterling worth and of honest heart. Not unduly advancing his own interests, he had taken an active part in the work of the church and Y. M. C. A. In his departing Rev. Tipton felt a personal loss, a loss for the church, a loss to the Association and to everybody. Mr. Campbell was always cheerful, bright and sunny and above all it could be said that he was a gentleman, a scholar and a Christian.

Graft is Defined The program was opened with a vocal solo from Henry Cody, Prof. J. S. Taylor playing the accompaniment. The liberal applause which followed was responded to by an equally delightful number. In introducing the symposium, Mr. Starr said that the subject of graft is of prime importance to the people of every city, town and hamlet in the United States. To graft is to steal and this is the sense in which it shall be dealt with tonight. Remarkable on the victory of honesty in Philadelphia he continued: I am glad to be able to say that graft and grafting does not apply to the city of Janesville and county of Rock. I do not believe that there is any graft in the city of Janesville, though there may be favoritism. And as one of the servants of the country for six years and in close touch with the country board and officers, I say that no man can truthfully assert that there has ever been a symptom of graft in connection with any county officer or the county board. So there is no lid to be removed in Rock county. Graft is not confined to any political party and hence is not a partisan subject. But it is one which should be dealt with unflinchingly and as Bishop Nicholson says: "Either let us speak out strongly on all moral issues, or let us confess ourselves as full of moral cowardice before the people."

Local Man First Grafter Speaking on the insurance graft, H. E. Bliss said there was little brought out by the recent investigations which his hearers were not familiar with. All knew that McCurdy had resigned and Perkins was to be ousted from the Morgan company. He told of the "Nylles," New York Life insurance agents, who, by writing insurance contracts of business for a time, retired later and lived from their income a per cent from premiums. Janesville was the home of one "Nylle" and when that one died he left a neat fortune to his surviving family. The first insurance graft on record implicates a Rock county resident. This man, a former officer of the Mutual, back in the fifties came west disgusted with the management. From policyholders he secured enough proxies to control the election at an annual meeting. With these he returned east and threatened to elect his own board of directors. To prevent this Vermilya, who was in control, paid the westerner \$40,000 for the proxies. This same man organized the North-Western Mutual Life Insurance company of Janesville, which was later taken to Milwaukee and has become one of the foremost companies in the country.

Give Proxies to Lawson Mr. Bliss advised holders of policies in old life companies to give "Thomas W. Lawson their proxies." He was considered both a good fellow and a fearfully dishonest rascal, but the proposition he made was flawless and no ill and some good may result from accepting it. Lawson acted upon receiving the proxies to have them voted through a committee of governors and men of public prominence appointed by him. All, continuing the speaker, owe a debt of gratitude to one man, Attorney Hughes, who gave up the nomination for mayor to proceed with the investigation.

Intentionally Were Good, But— In the reply to the last statement A. E. Matheson said that he understood Mr. Campbell meant the 99 per cent had no connection with graft and intended to be honest. But grafting is an American evil and not only a few prominent men stand out as grafters, but grafting has permeated the whole of American society. People privately use government privileges, such as telegraph and letter franchises. This is no intentional wrongdoing but people have simply fallen into that way and man's conscience needs quickening by investigation. When these little dishonesties are put in their right light graft will be made an evil, foreign to this country.

Why Were Prosecutions Dropped? The piano solo rendered by Frank Albrecht was well received and an encore demanded. Wilson Lane, handling the theme, "Municipal Graft," said he agreed with the statement of the leader of suspicion against any one of the city officers. The thieves here were put to rout and took to the woods a few years ago and the city has been clean and healthy since. The great New York courthouse steal of \$3,000,000 negotiated forty years ago by Boss Tweed is bigger than anything lately, compared with the amount of money now in the treasury. While Milwaukee has been cleared out by McGovern, St. Louis by Folk and New York by Jerome, San Francisco voted at the last election for two more years of graft. She has not been robbed to the limit and the people are to blame for the continuance of graft. In a place the size of Janesville it is almost impossible to do much stealing. Some was done and the offenders were all but found guilty. Volunteers to prosecute appeared, but they failed miserably and allowed the case to drop when a paltry sum had been placed in the city treasury. The situation was being immured from trial by depositing money and the disgusting failure is the people's fault. The speaker then added that he believed the mayor and councilmen should be paid for their services, for under the present system capable men rarely accept office, and either the incompetent or grafters now administered the affairs of most cities.

Valentine is Called Upon Mr. Lane called upon Richard Valentine, who was a member of the Municipal league committee to prosecute the bootleggers. Mr. Valentine said he had wished to proceed with the fight, but that other members of the committee and league, including Mr. Lane, desired that no Municipal League ticket be placed in the field in 1904 and it wasn't. "He (Valentine) was one of two democrats on a committee of ten and as long as the bootleggers from the democratic ranks were being 'soaked' it all went smoothly, but when it came to incriminating prominent republicans and leading citizens the committee's work became light and nothing was done further. Mr. Valentine further showed how parties were instruments to graft. He said the grafter helps the party with his dishonestly-gained money and the party naturally winks at the dishonest means. Wilson Lane then stated that he had opposed placing a League ticket in the field because the usefulness of the organization had expired and a coteries of but two or three men were attempting to use the league as a machine and not to advance its original purpose.

Principles and Recommendations D. C. Harker, who spoke on "Federal Graft," said, in opening, that with the greater lights, the suns and moons and even the stars, speaking, his expressions of thought would be but meteoric scintillations. He said there were many types of federal graft—stealing from the government pocketbook; the spoils system; the awarding of contracts for bribes; the extension of influence for money; a government servant defending an offender from the government, as in the case of Senator Burton; using public office as a snare; showing favoritism and patronizing. Favoritism is not in itself graft, but it opens the door to graft, helping several persons more than the government by extending the greatest good to the greatest number. Mr. Harker then presented a few principles in which he believed: the election of senators by direct vote of the people, enforcing the voters to go man-hunting and not the candidates to go office-hunting; the fine and disfranchisement of Senator Burton and all of his ilk; the abolishment of the frank system; the abolishment of seed distributing, as it accomplishes no good and is used by representatives to keep in touch with constituents. The speaker expressed himself as heartily in favor with the civil service idea and lauded Roosevelt for removing from office the assistant United States treasurer of Philadelphia on the charge of having used nepotism and political favoritism.

Have Always Had Graft After a violin solo by P. B. Williams, which was liberally applauded, and an encore the discussion was taken up by H. C. Bacon, speaking on "Graft in the Public Service Corporations." He said that there had always been graft in America and that it was not as great now as it had been. According to the memoirs of Senator Hoar there was, relatively and absolutely more speculation in public office in the earlier days than at present. The brilliant Blaine, though never proven guilty of graft,

he said, was far from new in the state of Father Penn. It dated back into the colonial days and a memorable case was that of Fanell Hall. This public meeting-house was built from money obtained by Peter Fanell through selling whiskey illegally into Congress poor and emerged with \$30,000,000. Grant's administration, though not himself, was smirched and besmirched. Graft is possible under any form of government; under the county system of the southern colonists, under the town-meeting system of New England and under the 'all and 'all of these two systems in the west. It is not the kind of machinery or the time that regulates graft but the public conscience.

Public service corporations depend for their very existence not only on the capital invested but also largely on the privileges which they possess at the gift of the people. These rights and franchises are part of the American business system and when a corporation fails in gaining what they wish they use the lobby, in a city hall, at a state capital or in Washington, and often succeed through favors, money bribes, positions and stocks. These valuable privileges are now given away free and though I do not speak an advocate of public ownership or more rigid control of public service corporations I say it does not take a philosopher to see the handwriting upon the wall. The trend is toward closer control, if not ownership, of publicly privileged corporations.

The Cause and Cure Marshall P. Richardson closed the regular program with the theme, "Cause and Cure of Graft." His subject, he said, had been covered pretty thoroughly by the previous speakers and there was not much left for him to say. The primary cause of graft is lust for gain. In the case of Cassie Chadwick she tempted her victims with big gains and won, their good sense being overruled by their love of money. The lack of responsibility on the part of the public is a cause and political parties are often the foundation of graft. When one party becomes dominant it no longer needs to show the voters its good points and graft naturally creeps in. Lowered standards and ideals are also responsible and while the people hold their hands in holy horror at the misdeeds of the insurance men the investigation is a far more shameful exposure of New York state's government and the people who elected it. All the laws that can be enacted will not prevent grafting, public sentiment alone can remedy the great American evil.

Mrs. Austin's Buckwheat. Is the real thing—gives you genuine old buckwheat flavor. Be sure and get the genuine.

MICHAEL CONLEY WEDDED TO MRS. JOSEPHINE TURNBAUGH Ceremony Was Performed in Office of Justice Manlove in Rockford Saturday Last.

Michael Conley and Mrs. Josephine Turnbaugh, both of this city, were married by Justice J. G. Manlove at his office in the Masonic Temple in Rockford Saturday afternoon. The contracting parties are well and favorably known in this city. The groom is employed at the Myers House hotel.

TO CURE A COLP IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. B. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH TO CONDUCT A LECTURE COURSE

Opening Number by Columbian Entertainers Will Be Given Thanksgiving Night. Under the auspices of the congregation of St. Mary's Catholic church a lecture course will be opened Thanksgiving night by the Columbian Entertainers. Rev. Fr. A. B. C. Dunne will speak on the evening of Dec. 12, the Chicago Glee will be heard in January, Father Vaughn in February, Dr. Mulham of Ohio in March, and the Middleton Company in April.

LIFE SAVED BY FAMOUS PILE CURE

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On Thursday evening our citizens are to have the privilege of seeing a large number of Indian braves of the Northwest, and see a specimen of their dances and costumes.

Rock County at the State Fair.—If the managers of the State Agricultural Society needed any excuse for locating the State Fair in this city for two years in succession, it will be found in the list of premiums taken by citizens of this county. More than two-thirds of all the premiums awarded were taken by Rock County exhibitors, and when it is remembered that a great number of articles and animals that were shown took no premiums and are not mentioned in the list, our contributions to make the fair the grand success that it was, can be properly appreciated. Let the officers of the State Society remember this when they are casting about for the best place to hold a fair.

The Sweepstake Race Yesterday.—Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather the sweepstake race came off yesterday afternoon as announced on Monday, between Jo Davis, Sandy Boy and Grapshot. Almost every body seemed to think that Sandy would be the winner and all odds were in his favor, though Joe Davis was well up to him as far as stakes were concerned, pools selling at four and five dollars on both horses, while Grapshot seemed to be out of confidence and only brought two and a half. The first heat was easily won by Sandy. Grapshot coming in second. The second race astonished everybody except Mr. Douglass, as Grapshot won the heat. Joe Davis came in second. The third heat, Sandy was drawn, Grapshot and Joe Davis starting. Grapshot flew the track, but got back in time to win the race. We understand the Madison sporting men have gone home perfectly satisfied and a "little out." Mr. Douglass sold Grapshot, last evening for \$400, to Mr. Charles Williams.

In the year 1864 the abolition of serfdom was perfected in Russia. In the same year the Turkish Porte secularized the immense property vested in the mosques, and thus changed the title to three-fourths of the landed estates in the Empire, while in our country, four millions of slaves were emancipated. The historian will always regard this as one of the most important epochs in the Christian era.

## ..COMING ATTRACTIONS..

"The Kerry Fair," with Hanford and Hart will be seen at the Myers Grand Thursday, November 30, matinee and evening. Mr. Hanford is one of the few light Irish comedians now on the stage, and Della Hart is considered the best comedienne that ever impersonated that class of character. The play is of a rollicking Irish nature, with a dash of pathos and sentiment here and there to lend flavor and a song now and then, topped off with a bit of dancing. The scenery is all natural, having been painted from true Irish localities in County Kerry.

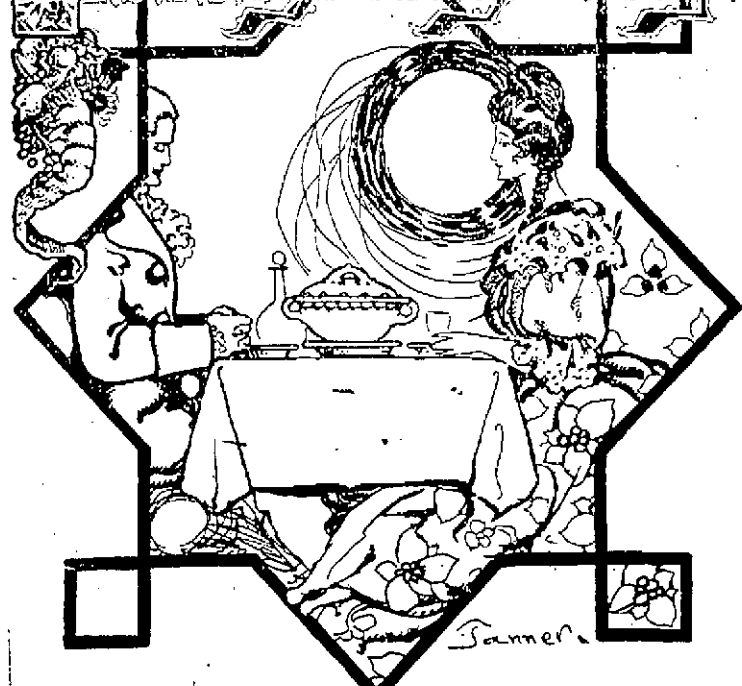
"An Aristocratic Tramp," one of those high-toned fellows you have read about in picture books will make his annual appearance at the Myers Grand tonight. With him will be Kilroy and Britton, who for several seasons were the big features with the "Heart of Chicago," and a carefully selected company of the very best metropolitan talent, procurable. Scenery is carried for each and every act and the production is said to be one of the season's big hits.

Arrangements were completed with the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. to give their performance of "Alice in Wonderland" at the Myers Grand, Friday and Saturday, December 1 and 2. This beautiful, popular, spectacular opera was dramatized by Miss D. Hope Leonard, and is under the personal management of Col. J. F. Brass of New York City. Lewis Carroll's famous fairy tale is well adapted for song and scenic effects, and the remarkable success of the production in the leading cities assures for it a long run in this country.

In addition to the principal characters, about two hundred local children, one-third boys, two-thirds girls, from five to eighteen years of age, are required. These will be carefully selected by a committee for the production here on Friday and Saturday, December 1 and 2, matinee and evening. It is said that the grouping, dances, specialties, as well as the numerous funny and odd characters, electrical and calcium effects are very beautiful.

The costumes and properties are supplied by Col. Brass, and the stage is personally supervised by Miss D. Hope Leonard. It seems superfluous to enumerate the characters in the production as we are informed that all are introduced as portrayed by Lewis Carroll in his book, which are known to almost every man, woman and child. The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will doubtless realize a substantial sum to add to its treasury.

## Thanksgiving Day



November 30—Thanksgiving day. Find the turkey.

## BRIEF NEWS FROM OLD ROCK.

B. B. WOODBURY SUCCEDED IN BERLIN HEIGHTS, OHIO

Word of His Death Reached. Remains to Be Brought to Johnston for Interment.

Johnston, Nov. 28.—B. B. Woodbury died November 23 at his home in Berlin Heights, Ohio, aged seventy-seven years, five months. The remains will be brought here for interment. The word has brought sorrow to many homes.

Miss Lillian King has resigned her position as teacher in the village school.

An officer was out from Janesville Sunday morning looking for the boys that had a hand in the fight Saturday.

Mrs. Seymour Johnson of Janesville was a guest of Mrs. J. I. Haight a few days last week.

Mr. Isaac Loomer of Delavan has sold his farm in Johnston to P. C. Zimmerman for \$13,000.

James Haight is building a wood shed for George Hall.

Miss Florence Aymer of Chicago is visiting her sister Mrs. C. Pierce.

Diedrick visited I. T. Reese and family of Lima Thursday.

Mrs. John Briggs is on the sick list since Saturday.

EMERALD GROVE

Emerald Grove, Nov. 27.—On Saturday evening, December 2, the M. W. A. camp will hold an important meeting at their rooms. Officers for the coming year will be elected and all members are requested to show their interest in the lodge by being present at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willard of Darcen visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Westby this week.

Notice the change in date of the church fair which will be held at the church parlors on Wednesday afternoon and evening, December 6. Come and buy your Christmas presents for there will be articles ornamental as well as useful. There will also be a fine, large fish-pond for both young and old. Every one is invited to come and enjoy the day. Gyster super will be served after three o'clock.

Visitors were entertained at the Yandry home on Sunday.

## RAILWAY MEN FIGHT LEGISLATION

(Continued from Page 1.)

enforcement. It is time the people understood the immense state that men who labor for our great railroad systems have in the progress of their country and the prosperity of their employers. Every existing condition demands that we speak out at this time against all confiscatory legislation.

Sentiments like these are met with everywhere, and the leaders of the movement to bring about a great popular demonstration of railway labor men in Chicago next month declare that the showing made at that gathering will give the general public some idea of the strength of the opposition to all government rate-making projects.

Inquiry made among railroad workers shows that the various brotherhoods in the east have manifested surprising strength in their fight against governmental control of rates. A member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers said today that prior to July 31st resolutions had been passed by twenty-one of the sixty-six divisions of his order in the state of New York, and that so far one hundred and fifty-two divisions and lodges have protested against government rate-fixing. A member of the Order of Railway Conductors is authority for the statement that the same is true of one hundred and two divisions and lodges in his order.

Similar action has been taken by one hundred and forty-three branches of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, and the trainmen's lodges, to the number of two hundred and twelve, have taken the same stand. The railway telegraphers, too, have joined in the movement, although not otherwise affiliated with organized railroad labor, and twenty-six of their lodges have passed resolutions.

"Why," said a brotherhood official today, "if this Esch-Townsend bill or anything like it should go through congress it will be the worst thing that has happened to us railroaders since the business was first known. We have spent years in getting our wages where they are now and in obtaining recognition of our rights as organizations and individuals, and if railroad control is put into the hands of a government board we would lose about all we have gained. Our employers treat us well and we propose to stand by them as long as they do so. We believe that government control of rates will greatly cut down railroad receipts. If this happens operating expenses will have to be reduced, and every railroad man knows what that means. We know what is good for us, and we know what is bad for us, and we are going to fight this rate legislation to a finish."

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## RHEUMATISM BODY RACKED WITH PAIN

No other bodily suffering is equal to that produced by the pain of Rheumatism. When the poisons and acids, which cause this disease, become entrenched in the blood there is hardly any part of the body that is not affected. The muscles become sore and drawn, the nerves twitch and sting, the joints inflame and swell, the bones ache, every movement is one of agony, and the entire body is racked with pain. Rheumatism is brought on by indigestion, stomach troubles, torpid liver, weak kidneys and a general inactive state of the system. The refuse matter instead of passing off through nature's avenues is left to sour and form uric acid, and other acid poisons which are absorbed into the blood. Rheumatism does not affect all alike. In some cases it takes a wandering form; it may be in the arms or legs one day and in the shoulders, feet, hands, back or other parts of the body the next. Others suffer more seriously, and are never free from pain. The uric acid and other irritating substances find lodgment in the muscles and joints and as these deposits increase the muscles become stiff and the joints locked and immovable. It matters not in what form the disease may be the cause is always the same—a sour, acid condition of the blood. This vital stream has lost its purity and freshness, and instead of nourishing and feeding the different parts with health-giving properties, it fills them with the acids and salts of this painful and far-reaching disease. The cold and dampness of Winter always intensify the pains of Rheumatism, and the sufferer to get relief from the agony, rubs the affected parts with liniments, oils, lotions, etc., or uses plasters and other home remedies. These are desirable because they give temporary ease and comfort but have no effect on the real trouble which is in the blood and beyond the reach of such treatment. S. S. S. is the best remedy for Rheumatism. It goes into the blood and attacks the disease at its head, and by neutralizing and driving out the acids and building up the thin, sour blood it cures the disease permanently. While cleansing the blood S. S. S. tones up the stomach, digestion and every other part of the system, soothes the excited nerves, reduces the inflammation, dissolves the deposits in the joints, relieves all pain and completely cures this distressing disease. S. S. S. is a certain cure for Rheumatism in any form; Muscular, Inflammatory, Articular or Sciatic. Special book on the disease and any medical advice, without charge, to all who write. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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## WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and much colder.

"Making a mull of a thing" is the Scotch phrase for a man who shows little discretion, who "wastes his ammunition," who mixes and muddles an enterprise. Many a merchant makes a "mull" of a store-venture by wasting his publicity ammunition.

## A THANKSGIVING ODE

If We Only Knew  
If we only knew! If we only knew! What the governor is going to do—What he will rise and sing "My old thing!" If we only knew! If we only knew! There's one thing sure: Our little Bob has the value of a cob, in a field of corn.

As sure as your born! born! born! Reform La Follette, then we'll burrah!

And give thanks! thanks! "BILL PINK."

## THANKSGIVING

Unlike any other holiday, Thanksgiving comes to the people of the United States as a reminder of national and individual gratitude. The day has been dedicated to song and story, since the date of its inception by the forefathers, and with each recurrence, from press and pulpit, as well as from the hearts of the people, the same glad anthem inspires to thoughts of appreciation.

As a people the year 1905 finds us at peace with all mankind, and in the enjoyment of a world wide reputation as peacemakers. The old nations, so recently in conflict, pay homage to the new republic, and the echo of peace, with an American refrain, resounds in the most remote corners of the world.

Within our own borders, the year has not been destitute of conflict, but the strife has been waged in the domain of intellect, with an earnest desire to take advanced ground on many questions of public policy.

While the discussion of some questions has sometimes been erratic, yet the trend is forward, and when the verdict is secured the nation will occupy higher ground. Sin in high places has been rebuked, and the line which separates the interests of capitol and labor has been found to be largely an imaginary line. If the broad plane of a common brotherhood is established the experiences of the year will prove a profound blessing and occasion for genuine thanksgiving.

The state has so many things to be thankful for that they cannot be listed. The people are care-free and blessed with a leader who furnishes a continuous performance, and a constant round of pleasure. The city has also occasion to rejoice. The people are in the enjoyment of the free and easy life for which they voted, and the postoffice situation is as clear as mud, with no occasion to worry as to results.

To some homes the silent messenger has been an unwelcome visitor, and sorrow fills the hearts that would otherwise be thankful, but these homes are the exception, and the festive board will resound with old-fashioned thanksgiving.

If Uncle Ike "keeps off the grass," he will have no trouble in living in Washington. The dividends from his newspaper plants will help to make life a round of pleasure.

The Outlook, Collier's, McClure's, and a few other self-appointed guardians of the state, now have another opportunity to tell what they don't know about conditions.

The long message which the governor is said to be preparing, does not forecast a short session. The members can afford to take time to sit down on the dictator.

The faithful were in attendance at the lecture Monday evening. There was no politics in the lecture, but the atmosphere was pregnant with post-office zeal.

The postmaster from Clinton, who owes his appointment to Cham Ingersoll of Beloit, is the busiest La Follette man in the bunch, just now. He is Cooper's right bower. The boys better see him.

Tired of the constant annoyance of disgruntled union teamsters, Montgomery Ward & Co. declare their intentions of moving their shipping departments outside the city limits on the line of some railroad where they can dispense with teamsters.

When Congressman Cooper consents the governor, he will know what to do with the post-office contest. There is one man in the state who is able and willing to carry responsibility,

and the dear people have no occasion to worry.

The city is suffering from an epidemic of post-office candidates and the disease is liable to assume a malignant type before it runs its course. It is fortunate for the city that a large percentage of the population is immune.

The majority of republicans in Janesville are asking nothing for the home post-office, as they are satisfied that the governor and a kind providence will look out for their interests, but they are speaking out in meeting for Beloit.

Lincoln Steffens should make another tour of investigation in Wisconsin. While he is not very astute, he might discover a few things on the surface that would do to mention. The ninth inning is about to be played in the game of politics. Steffens can hardly afford to miss it.

## TRUTH HURTS.

The Beloit Daily News has an aspirant for the Beloit post-office. This may explain the attitude of the columns of that sheet regarding Cooper and politics in general. Swinging from a democratic to a republican, from a labor to anti-labor sheet the Daily News has had a diversified career. Always on hand to receive any "hand-out," it has altered its policies to suit the pocket-book. Like a weather-cock on a church steeple it has swung to and fro. Published under the caption of an independent paper it swings at will to suit the convenience of the editor. Janesville does not mean to criticize Beloit or its choice for candidate for post-office.

In justice, however, to the people of the county, it has deplored the possible displacement of Cham Ingersoll, the veteran postmaster, for a man who as no claims upon the office except possibly the fact he turned towards the administration thinking it was the proper way to gain a taste of public "pap." In Monday night's issue of the Daily News it rises up in indignant virtue over what it considers a slur upon Congressman Cooper by stating that he had refused to make appointments with conservatives to discuss the Beloit post-office.

It then follows with an editorial on La Follette, Hill and Garfield and tries to bolster up the governor's stand in not making known his plans as to accepting or rejecting the United States senatorship. It follows with an editorial copied from the Milwaukee Journal in defense of the government of the state. The indignation is truly worthy of the cause it represents. One fact, however, is forgotten by the writer. His arguments are full of holes. They are shop-worn and musty, and while imitation is the sincerest form of flattery, the purpose of their publication is plain to all. If any conservative republicans interviewed Mr. Cooper on the post-office situation while in Janesville Tuesday, their names do not appear on the list. They understand very distinctly that suggestion or advice is not wanted. The governor will indirectly name the postmaster, both in Beloit and Janesville. If the "News" man occupies a front seat on the band wagon, he may be it.

## NO RADICAL LEGISLATION.

The railway employees of the country, both east and west, are thoroughly aroused to the fact that the proposed legislation on railroad rates, will prove a hardship to employees, and vigorous protests are being filed.

A delegation, representing the eastern men, recently called on the president and a meeting of the western men will soon be held in Chicago to unite on some action against the Esch-Townsend rate bill, and other legislation along this line.

This action is purely voluntary on the part of employees, and it is very significant. These men recognize the fact that when the railroads are handicapped by government regulation that the earning power is decreased and that labor will suffer accordingly.

The president assured the eastern men that no radical measures would be adopted, and from latest reports it is evident that the chief executive has modified his views on the question.

Railroad property differs in some respects from private property. The charter, under which it is created, grants special privileges, and because of this fact many people believe that the state and government have claims upon it to the extent of confiscation should occasion warrant.

This belief has gained popularity through discussion and criticism, and is more prevalent today than ever before. Government ownership, and government control are discussed on every hand with but little thought for property rights.

What are the facts concerning railroad property? Simply these. The property is owned by the stockholders of the companies, just the same as the property of all other corporations. It is controlled by a majority of the stock, the same as any incorporated business enterprise, and the business is conducted by a board of directors elected by a majority of the stockholders.

These directors, who are stockholders, elect officers to manage the business, who may or may not be stockholders, and these men are held accountable for the successful management of the business.

The stockholders, who own the property, are numbered by the thousand, and are scattered all over the world, but they have rights as property owners, which are always recognized, and which no state or government can afford to jeopardize.

The congress, about to convene, can not afford to ignore these rights, which are just as sacred as the rights of all other kinds of property.

## PRESS COMMENT.

Burton's Faith is Wobbling.  
Chicago Record-Herald: Senator Burton's faith in the technicality of wobbling and about to totter from its foundation.

Still Offering Odds.  
La Crosse Leader-Press: It is still odds on Governor La Follette not refusing the senatorship.

Tiger Would Fain Conciliate.  
St. Louis Globe-Democrat: In the late campaign Tammany denounced Hearst bitterly, but is now studying how to conciliate him before the next state campaign.

A Knock-Out For the Drama.  
Exchange: John L. Sullivan announces that he is about to retire from the stage. Coming so soon after the death of Henry Irving, this leaves the drama rather gross.

Did the Machine Grin?  
Superior Telegram: The Detroit News says that there are indications that the Wisconsin machine shouldn't have grinned until Governor La Follette's back was a little more squarely turned.

Monarchy by Election.  
Columbus (S. C.) State: Norway is about as democratic a kingdom as one could find upon the map. First it chose its form of government by ballot and now it chooses its ruler in the same way. Monarchy by election is pretty near democracy.

An Interesting Abbreviation.  
Chicago Tribune: Mr. Perkins acknowledged that he had several fingers in the "Nylco" fund. "Nylco" is short for "New York Life Insurance company," and it may be defined with equal brevity as graft.

And This is One of Them?  
St. Louis Globe-Democrat: The cry of the international orphans living in the Isle of Pines will be apt to reach the United States Senate at an early period in the session. There are questions that keep poorly in senatorial cold storage.

What Becomes of U. S. Govt?  
Wausau Record: By the way, what is to become of that assistance the president so needs of you and that only you can give him in this gigantic struggle with the railways, if you stay at Madison with your legislature, Bob?

When Court Business is Brisk.  
Racine Journal: When it is said that business in the municipal court is brisk and that department of the city government is making money, it means that drunkenness and vice is increasing. The increased revenues only slightly indicate the thousands of dollars spent in dissipation.

Lipton, Twice a Loser.  
Exchange: Sir Thomas Lipton says that his two great regrets are that he never got married and that he has been unable to lift the America cup. The latter may be his misfortune, but the former is perhaps his fault. He wasted too much time yachting when he was in the United States.

Attitude of the Euchered.  
Oshkosh Northwestern: If Governor La Follette should really try to secure the election of Mr. Stephenson as United States senator it will be interesting to note the attitude taken by Mr. Cooper, Mr. Esch and Judge Webb, the men who were euchered out of their chance when the governor stopped in last spring and offered himself as a compromise candidate for the place.

No Pay in Sight for Them.  
Milwaukee News: The painful part of a special session of the "reform" legislators will be the constitution obstruction that will prevent them from getting money out of the treasury for their services. They have drawn their salaries and spent the money, and the only thing they have coming is the governor's recommendations.

To Make 'em Take "Friday."  
Omro Herald: It looks as though the boss is becoming convinced he is losing his grip. His heretofore faithful lieutenants, asserting their independence, are in a state of revolt. They have declared their right to appear before the people for political preferment. This is not as it should be, in the mind of the boss. They have presumed upon this stop without first asking his permission. His plan to eliminate all other candidates for governor, so as to have a clear field for his man, Friday Leggett, were being upset. In order to evolve a new issue, got a new grip, to break the back, and to instruct the weak and halting, and punish the hitherto faithful lieutenants, this extraordinary session is called.

How Premiums Were "Loaded."  
Chicago Chronicle: Gaze R. Turbell, second vice-president of the Equitable, has explained the system of "loading" premiums for the benefit of the New York Legislative investigating committee. He says that the system was originated to insure the ability of companies to meet any contingency of claim or expense. It consists in placing the premiums higher than is necessary to cover policyholders' claims and the expenses of the business. The excess of this "loading" above both ordinary and extraordinary outgo is returned to policyholders in dividends. That is, it is theoretically returned to them. There is nothing new in this generalized explanation. It is merely an official statement of what has been pretty well understood. But when Mr. Turbell went more into the details in the case of the Equitable he said some things which invite comment. He said that the surplus of the Equitable at the end of 1904 was \$50,000,000, and of this total \$70,000,000 was set aside for deferred dividends. He added that the company did not recognize any right of the policyholder in this fund until the policy had matured or reached the point at which it had earned its dividend, and that this fund could be used to meet any contingency that might arise. Thus money to pay extra commissions to agents was taken from this fund. How the money so borrowed is to be repaid does not appear.

## NORCROSS MAKES HIS VIEWS KNOWN

ASSEMBLYMAN FROM THIS DISTRICT TALKS SPECIAL SESSION.

LAWS NOT TESTED AS YET

Changes Mentioned in the Call Are Indefinite as to Real Reasons.

Janesville, Wis., Nov. 29.—With so much speculation rife as to the possibilities of the coming extra session of the legislature, Captain Piny Norcross, member of that body from the second district of Rock county, makes an interesting communication to the public in general. Captain Norcross has had ample opportunity to know of what he writes. In the last session of the legislature he was made a member of prominent committees where La Follette men were in control. He saw the inner workings of the Holy of Holies from a distance and knows of the absurdity of the present gathering. In expressing his views on the subject Captain Norcross says:

"I have received my copy of the ill-considered proclamation of our governor calling for a special session of the legislature.

"The object of this special term is 'to consider and act upon certain subjects of legislative business.'"

Section four, article V is cited as authority for the call. That section sets forth in full the powers and duties of the governor. He may convene the legislature upon extraordinary occasions. In case of contagious disease at the capital, he may convene the legislature at some safer place.

There are many people of the state who think there is a contagious disease at the capital now. I am quite sure that the legislature would feel safe if a different place had been selected for the session.

The same section of the constitution also says that the governor "shall execute such measures as shall be resolved upon by the legislature." It also makes it the duty of the governor "to take care that the laws be faithfully executed."

There is also another clause in our state constitution which I think the chief executive officer of this state has wholly overlooked and that is found in section 1, article IV. It reads thus:

"The legislative power shall be vested in a senate and assembly."

That power is not vested either directly or by implication with the governor. It belongs absolutely to the legislature.

The legislature after an unusually long session adjourned last June. Many of the members thought that the business of the session could have been performed much more pleasantly, much better, and in a much shorter time, if they had been permitted to perform their legislative duties in their own way, without interference from any other branch of the government. But they realized that some very important matters concerning the taxation of railroads and other corporations as well as other state affairs had been carefully considered and they accepted the hard work, and self denial, and expense, for a long term as graciously as possible.

At the opening of the legislature in January 1905, and at several times during the session the governor very fully presented his views upon all of the matters requiring legislation. The matter of the railroad commission, rates, taxation, service discrimination, the building of the capitol, grain and warehouse commission, war houses, and all public service corporations, were all included in his very laudable recommendations. Nor did he stop with recommendations. He never lost sight of them until they each and all received his signature or veto.

But I submit that when the legislature has been called upon to take up the recommendations and passed such measures as it has seen fit, it is then its privilege to adjourn, and that it is an unnecessary and uncalled for hardship to be summoned to take up these matters again and amend them, simply because the executive officer of the state is not entirely satisfied with them.

Most of the measures named in the proclamation have not been tested by trial.

So far as rebuilding the capitol is concerned, no time has been lost. Nothing could be done until the streets abutting upon the capitol grounds were paved with asphaltum. That is not done yet.

The commission appointed to erect the building have very full authority to do the work and it needs no further legislation.

So with the other subjects of legislative business mentioned in the call. Give them a little time. They are all common matters of legislation. Besides it does not seem to me good form or taste for the governor to stay away from the state and from his office, from the last hour of the legislative session until a short time ago, and then on coming back to the state to impose such a useless burden upon the legislature.

It is no small matter for one hundred and fifty men from all parts of the state to leave their various pursuits, give up their plans for winter work, and spend the winter at Madison away from their homes and families and business, without any compensation at all, simply to satisfy the ambitions of our governor, or to allow him to settle some of his political debts.

The people of this state do not need any more legislation at present. They feel safer after the legislative adjourns and the governor goes out on his lecturing tours.

It is said by the wise ones, that the real object of the call is that the governor may reconsider and possibly recall his doubtful acceptance of the office of United States senator, which was read to the legislature last January.

Most certainly this is the least deserving of the eleven items mentioned

in the proclamation. Almost every republican in the joint session of last winter voted for the present governor. It is true that there was quite a bunch of us who preferred Senator Charles or Judge Webb, but we took our medicine and tried to look pleasant.

I cannot say how the sentiment is throughout the state, but I feel sure that it is the duty of the governor to go to the senate and go now, and that the people of the state expect that.

It is also his duty, to let the people of this state select the man who shall be their governor after he goes to the senate.

The beautiful and powerful sentences which make up the thrilling argument in "representative government" have aroused the echoes from every rostrum in this country, and even the little red school houses and the stumps at all the cross roads in this state have fairly trembled at the earnest eloquence of the gifted author and orator as he has promulgated the great truths named in that essay.

Is it possible that the man who has so bravely denounced all political trickery, all subterfuge, all bossism, all interference with the rights of the poor people, is now resorting to any of the devices known to the trade, for the purpose of advancing any object of his personal ambition?

Perish the thought! I won't believe it. No, no, when I feel the magnetic thrill that goes clear to my shoulder when I shake hands with his Excellency, I want to believe that he is strictly sincere in his efforts to save the people from all harm, and that there is no personal ambition at the bottom of the proclamation.

## MASQUE OF BEGGARS

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Mrs. A. E. Valentine and Miss Anna Valentine Issue Invitations for Unique Event—Many Affairs Last Evening.

Numerous and varied social events occupied the attention of a large portion of the city's population last evening. Taken all in all the young men probably fared better, for once, than the young ladies, as there was at least one large gathering confined to them entirely. A social and supper at Forester's hall, given under the auspices of the W. C. O. F. Court No. 175, occupied the attention of some eighty visitors. The affair was given to signalize the completion of three months' work. During the evening a silk comforter was presented to the holder of the lucky number—345—the same having been drawn by Mrs. John Koebler. In a bean-guessing contest Miss Katherine Driscoll won a very pretty cup and saucer.

Shirt-Waist Club Dance  
In conformity with traditions, pride, vainglory, and dress-suits were rigidly excluded by the Business-Suit and Shirt-Waist club at the opening dance of the winter's series, given at East Side Odd Fellows' hall. There was a large attendance. Few of the membership of sixty couples failing to put in an appearance. Knott & Hatch's orchestra furnished the music, playing until midnight. Mesdames T. O. Howe and H. D. Murdoch are in charge of the arrangements this season.

Eagles Hear Tyrolean Warblers  
Members of the Janesville Aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, their friends, and ladies enjoyed a unique concert given by two Tyrolean warblers, a lady and a gentleman, whose services had been secured for the occasion. The concert was followed by a dance which lasted until one o'clock.

"Beggars' Masquerade"  
Mrs. Arthur E. Valentine and Miss Anna Valentine have issued invitations to a masquerade to be given at the Christ church parish hall, Wednesday evening, December 6, at eight o'clock.

## OBITUARY.

Maud Oakley  
After a lingering illness, but conscious up to the last moment of life, Miss Maud Oakley quietly passed away at her home in the town of Fulton shortly after ten o'clock Tuesday evening, Nov. 23. Besides her parents she leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn her untimely demise. There are four brothers and six sisters: T. J. and John Oakley of the town of Rock, William R. of Walworth county, and Mrs. George of the town of Fulton; Mrs. Ida Kilder of the town of Fulton, Mrs. Sarah Rook of Jefferson county, Mrs. May Page of the town of Loda. The funeral services will be held at the home at ten o'clock Friday morning. The interment will be at the Milton Junction cemetery.

Mrs. Harriet Williams  
The remains of Mrs. Harriet Williams, formerly of this city, but who has made her home with her son, Frank Williams, in Minneapolis for the past two years, were laid at rest in Oak Hill this afternoon. Mrs. Williams died on Monday at her son's home in Minneapolis and the remains were brought to Janesville for interment. The funeral was held from the residence of her son, Charles Williams, 468 South River street, at two this afternoon, Rev. Tippet officiating.

Raburn Charles  
The remains of the late Raburn Charles, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Charles, were tenderly laid at rest in Mount Olivet cemetery this afternoon. Brief funeral rites being performed at the home on North Main street at two o'clock.

Levi Moses, Sr.  
Funeral services over the remains of the late Levi Moses, Sr., were held this morning at ten o'clock from the home of his son, Frank Moses, 150 South High street. Rev. R. M. Vaughan was the officiating clergyman and the pallbearers were P. J. Lloyd, George Spohn, A. C. Anderson, and L. A. Williams. Interment was in Oak Hill cemetery.

William Everson is home from an extended business trip.

Buy it in Janesville.

## MRS. GEORGE DAVIS DIES OF APOPLEXY; ILL HALF AN HOUR

Sudden and Unexpected Death Comes at Noon to Much Beloved Resident of City.

After an illness of but a half hour, Mrs. George J. Davis passed away at her home, 129 South Main street, shortly after twelve this noon. Up to the noon hour Mrs. Davis had apparently been in the best of health and her sudden demise came as a surprise to her family and friends. Dr. Charles Sutherland was called, but was unable to save her life and she died within a half hour of her first being taken ill. Apoplexy was the direct cause of death and within a half hour of her feeling sick she had been sewing and doing her usual household work. Mrs. Davis was born in Milton, November 25, 1854. Her maiden name was Jennette Lind and she was united in marriage to William Lynds, December 25, 1873. Mr. Lynds died in March of 1895 and Mrs. Lynds later removed to Janesville, where she has since made her home. In October of 1902 she was married to George J. Davis. She is survived by her husband and two daughters of her first marriage, Mrs. Claire Campbell and Miss Vera Lynds. Mrs. Davis was an active member of the Congregational church and has many friends who will unite with her family in mourning her sudden demise. Aside from her immediate family, Mrs. Davis leaves to mourn her loss four sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Sarah Hurd of Clear Lake, Iowa, Mrs. Mary Sullivan of Hancock, Wis., Mrs. B. F. Hudson and Mrs. F. B. Blaisdell of Milton, W. P. Ind of Milton and L. B. Ind of Chicago. Funeral services will be held from the home at two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The F. O. will be open from 8 to 9 marriage licenses have been filed by Robert Pollock and Della May Stanton, both of Janesville; Eugene W. Carler and Harriet A. Brazee, also of this city. The latter couple sought to secure a special permit to be wedded at once.

## THE WEATHER.

Temperature last 24 hours taken from registered thermometer at Heimstreet's drugstore: highest, 58; lowest, 24; at 7 a. m., 25; at 3 p. m., 23; wind, northwest; snow flurries.

## CHICAGO MARKETS

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Chicago, November 29, 1905.

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## TOOTH TALKS

It's rather a nice thing to be able to escape the pain of tooth extraction by this VITALIZED AIR method. You can walk right into the dentist's office, sit down, take a comfortable position, have a sigh, go to sleep, and while you are dreaming of what Santa Claus is going to bring you Dr. Richards will be busy relieving you of those troublesome old broken-down teeth.

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P. O. Hours for Nov. 30, Thanksgiving Day.

The P. O. will be open from 8 to 9 a. m. and from 2 to 3 p. m. The carriers will be at their windows from 2 to 3 p. m. O. F. NOWLAN, P. M.

## JOHN FARSON IS IN DEAD EARNST

CHICAGO CAPITALIST TALKS OF INTERURBAN EXTENSION.

## TOURING THE ROUTE TODAY

New Owner of R. B. & J. and Party Arrived in City Last Evening—Departed on Expedition.

John Farson of the firm of Farson, Leach & Co., and owner of the R. B. & J. interurban line, accompanied by George G. Olmsted, head of the bond department, and C. B. Masslich, attorney for the firm, arrived from Chicago last evening and were met at the Grand Hotel by Manager H. H. Clough and T. S. Nolan, attorney for the road. Over a large map of Rock



JOHN FARSON

and Dane counties, spread upon a centroltable in one of the upper rooms, they conferred for several hours and early this morning the entire party with the exception of Mr. Nolan, provided with caps and heavy buffalo robes, started on a carriage trip over a portion of the routes of the proposed extension to Madison. They expected to secure a fresh team at Edgerton and after reaching Stoughton some time this afternoon will take a train for Chicago.

Pleased With the Outlook  
To a representative of the Gazette, who was very courteously permitted to interrupt the consultation, Mr. Farson expressed himself as very much pleased with everything he had learned pertaining to the project he is investigating. "Janesville and Beloit are two fine cities, each with a promising future, and we are well satisfied that the population of the territory between this point and Madison is adequate to warrant the building of the line," he said. "Strange that it hasn't been constructed before this time. The difficulty has probably been in financing the project. I have conferred with President Montgomery of the Madison line and he is ready to build to Stoughton. If we build it will probably be in co-operation with the Madison line. Of the route we can say nothing definite until we have gone over the ground. Most communities regard interurban lines as advantageous and are ready and anxious to encourage their building. We are led to believe that similar conditions prevail in this locality, and if such is the case it will greatly facilitate matters. The carrying out of the project, of course, depends to a great extent on the attitude of the cities and towns through which the proposed line is to pass."

It's Business This Time  
"If all conditions are found satisfactory there is any ground for hope that the line can be in operation by next fall or winter," was asked of Mr. Farson and elicited this quick and emphatic reply:

"You know we don't wait long! Once we have decided to go ahead and have obtained the franchises, no time will be wasted. You will see the cars running before a great many months have elapsed."

Is it the intention to ask for broad or freight-carrying rights than those contained in Janesville's tentative franchise to the Southern Wisconsin Co.?

"We haven't gone into that. Naturally, we shall expect to carry freight and to be granted liberal privileges. In most places the people want this done. I cannot see wherein there can be serious objections."

"There is the cattle-car bugaboo." "I have heard of that but I have never known of an electric line that operated them."

Through Line to Chicago.  
In the course of his conversation Mr. Farson alluded to a recent visit in New York and the assurance he received from one of the capitalists interested in the projected extension of the Boggs Milwaukee system from Waukesha to Madison, by way of Watertown, that this connecting link between the Capital and Cream cities is to be built during the coming summer. "You know, of course, of that other link which is to be constructed during the coming season between Marengo and Elgin. With that and the northern extension from Janesville there will be a complete system from Madison to Chicago. In Ohio and the east they are running diners on the electric roads."

Sees "Flight" of Street-Cars  
With regard to the local street-car line Mr. Farson disclaimed any intention of purchasing it. Manager Clough laughed at the theory that the interurban ever had any understanding with the local line. He had stopped once last spring to watch the work of installing the "Y" at the corner of Main and Milwaukee streets and the report had immediately been noised abroad that he was superintending operations. Mr. Olmsted said that the new rails put in here last spring were several pounds too light for interurban traffic. Presently another of the gentlemen looked at his watch and said that it was about time for the "flight" of the three Janesville "inseparables" from the depot and the whole party went to the windows to witness the rare spectacle.

## FOUND DEAD ON KITCHEN FLOOR

JOHN CALLAHAN SUCCUMBED SUDDENLY AT HOME.

## POLICE BROKE INTO HOUSE

Son and Wife Called from Beloit—Deceased Was About Eighty Years of Age.

When William Dullin, a neighbor to John Callahan, 34 North street, noticed that callers at the latter's home this morning were unable to gain any response from their raps at the door, he suspected all was not well and started to investigate. He tried all the doors but without success. Looking through a window he saw Callahan, but partly dressed and came in hand, lying face downward on the kitchen floor. He immediately notified Marshal Appleby. The latter hurried to the home of Callahan, broke down the kitchen door and found the aged man dead upon the floor as reported.

Death Came in Early Evening  
From the attendant circumstances it is presumed that Callahan after retiring last evening rose to go to the kitchen and fell dead of old age on his way. There was no suggestion of either suicide or foul play. A son of the deceased, James Callahan, who is a bookkeeper in the offices of the Fairbanks-Morse company, Beloit, and the widow, who resides with the son, were telephoned to and were expected here this afternoon to take charge of the remains.

His Companion  
Mike Riley, a local character, who is not credited with a possession of the full quota of wits, has been living with Callahan of late. On going home last evening between ten and eleven he was unable to gain entrance to the house and came downtown, applying for lodging at the police station. This was granted, but he said not a word about being shut out from his home. This morning he again visited the place and was unable to get in, but did not report to the police. His second failure at gaining entrance was what aroused Mr. Dullin's suspicions.

## LATE LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Store open tonight. Dedrick Bros. Shurtleff's ginger ice cream is unexcelled.

Tools await an owner at this office. The I. O. O. F. Social & Beneficial club will give one of their popular dances at the East Side I. O. O. F. hall on Thanksgiving night, Nov. 30.

Thanksgiving dinner will be served at the New Myers from 11:45 to 1:30. Those desiring seats will kindly notify office by Wednesday evening. There will be a duck raffle at Riverside hotel tonight, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Shurtleff's hickory nut ice cream. Thanksgiving dinner is incomplete without Shurtleff's "Peerless" ice cream.

Our holiday goods are arriving every day, one of the most complete lines of goods of all kinds in the city. Savings Store, No. 7 S. Jackson St. Toy engines, automobiles, trucks, cars, magic lanterns, hook and ladders, patrol wagons, dolls, child's sets, Christmas tree decorations; call and see them. Savings Store, net to Skelly & Wilbur's.

Wanted—Strong boy about 17 years of age at Gazette.

Owing to the fact that the front door of the Trinity church is in the hands of carpenters, the Thanksgiving service announced for 10:30 a. m. will be postponed. The 7:30 a. m. service, however, will take place in the Chapel.

Mixed nuts. Nash. Imperial band of twenty pieces at the West Side tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Malaga and catwaba grapes. Nash. Imperial band of twenty pieces at the West Side tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Our store will close tomorrow at 12:00. Nash.

Prof. Kohl's dancing classes will meet Friday.

Eat your Thanksgiving dinner and hurry to the West Side.

Turkeys, ducks and geese. Nash. Eat your Thanksgiving dinner and hurry to the West Side.

A family affair—the P. O. Nash. Concert by the Imperial band of twenty pieces at the West Side tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Indian river oranges. Nash. Concert by the Imperial band of twenty pieces at the West Side tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Acorn pig pork sausage. Nash. All skate at the West Side tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Lettuce, celery and radishes. Nash. Mrs. Lester's H. G. M. meal. Nash. All skate at the West Side tomorrow afternoon and evening.

First Church of Christ Scientist: Thanksgiving services will be held in former public library, Phoenix block, West Milwaukee street, at 10:30 a. m. Thursday, November 30.

HARMONY HORSE ADDED TO LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT  
Harmony, Nov. 29.—Will Crandall received \$200 for his fine bay horse which he sold to the Janesville fire department.

Mrs. A. Husker and Mrs. Borst of Johnson will spend Thanksgiving with friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Martin will be entertained at her sister's, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, in La Prairie Thanksgiving day.

## ONE SOLUTION IN COOPER DILEMMA

ANGIE KING OFFERS HERSELF FOR POST OFFICE APPOINTMENT

## IN INTEREST OF HARMONY

Is Willing to Accept the Postmaster-ship of Janesville, if It is Offered Her.

"I offer myself as a compromise candidate for the Janesville postoffice in the interests of peace and harmony and as a believer in good government," said Miss Angie J. King this morning in discussing her candidacy for the postmastership. "The mix-up for the office has become such," she continued, "that on the grounds of being neither a stalwart



ANGIE KING

nor an administration candidate I will get the support of many of our leading men, who are tired of this political fighting."

Is a Lawyer  
Miss King is a lawyer. She was admitted to the bar on Jan. 10, 1879, and has practiced continuously ever since. Miss King did not see Mr. Cooper on his recent visit to the city, but has numerous letters from prominent people written in her support which will be sent to him for his consideration. Her brother, J. D. King, is high in the postal service in Washington and a nephew is in the money order department in New York city. The announcement of her candidacy has created considerable comment among the rest of the "faithful" who are seeking honors.

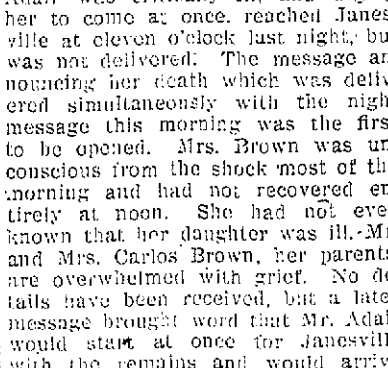
Is Still Reticent  
One man who claims to be a sage on political matters said this morning that he would be surprised if Mr. Cooper made any appointment until next spring. Others state that the appointment is already practically made and that all that remains is for its sanction in Madison. The fight is a merry one and has created considerable dissension in the ranks of the disciples of "God's patient poor."

Special Celebration  
Roast turkey, champagne punch, Tom and Jerry, at The Saratoga Thanksgiving day.

## SAD TIDINGS CAME FROM IOLA, KANSAS

Mrs. Cora Brown Adair Died at an Early Hour This Morning—Wedded Just Six Weeks Ago.

Tidings, which clouded fair expectations of a happy Thanksgiving time with heavy sorrow for relatives and many friends of Mrs. Ralph Adair, reached Janesville from Iola, Kansas, this morning. At her home on Fourth avenue Mrs. Ida Brown lies prostrated with grief over the message received informing her that her daughter and only child, who was wedded but six weeks ago today and with whom she expected to spend the Christmas holidays, died at four o'clock this morning. A telegram directed to Mrs. Brown, apprising her that Mrs. Adair was critically ill, and urging her to come at once, reached Janesville at eleven o'clock last night, but was not delivered. The message announcing her death which was delivered simultaneously with the first message this morning was the first to be opened. Mrs. Brown was unconscious from the shock most of the morning and had not recovered entirely at noon. She had not even known that her daughter was ill. Mrs. Adair was a devoted wife, mother and daughter. She was a native of Iowa and was almost worshipped by her many friends.



No Issue of Gazette Tomorrow  
Tomorrow, being a general holiday and a day set apart for general thanksgiving for that large measure of happiness which has come to most men during the past year, there will be no issue of the Janesville Gazette.

Jury's Special Verdict: In circuit court this afternoon the jury trying the action of Martin Paulson vs. the Rock County Sugar Co., brought to recover damages for alleged injuries sustained by horses in a pile of slacked lime, returned a special verdict, answering twelve questions submitted by the court. Should all of these be ratified by the court plaintiff will probably get \$100 or \$500 damages. The matter will have to be threshed out by the attorneys, however, before the final decision is reached. The action of Jos. Chant vs. the Clinton Telephone Co., involving damages claimed for the alleged wrecking of a threshing machine by the company's unlawfully placed wires, was taken up this morning.

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## NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

J. Frank Hall of Hartford, Mich., is in the city the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. F. Lester, 5 Wheeler street, for Thanksgiving.

Miss Josephine Treat expects to leave this evening for Chicago, where she will spend Thanksgiving.

Ady, Edward J. Stevens of Chicago will spend the approaching holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Gibson will visit their daughter, Mrs. D. D. Clark, in Cambria tomorrow.

Miss Marie Johnson left for Europe this week where she will spend some months with relatives and friends in Norway.

Mrs. Will Dickerson is spending a few days with Mrs. Lou Dickerson in Edgerton.

Arthur J. Fardy and W. Summer-ville went to Chicago this morning, having secured work in that city.

Mrs. W. T. Harris went to Jefferson this morning to spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

Dr. C. W. Bennett of Monroe was a Janesville visitor yesterday.

C. J. Blakely is spending a few days in Chicago, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Gibson.

O. F. Brewer of Madison was a Janesville visitor last evening.

W. R. McNeill, chief clerk of the Myers Hotel, left this noon for Chicago. He will witness the Michigan-Chicago football game tomorrow.

F. R. Helmer and Charles Juckett of Clinton are in the city.

George W. Cunnings of Sloughington is transacting business in the city.

I. Rosenblatt of Beloit was a Janesville visitor today.

Rev. J. A. M. Richer, former pastor of Trinity church, arrived from Madison yesterday and spent the day in the city. He departed last evening for his home in San Diego, Cal.

Mrs. William Squires left today for Elkhorn where she will spend Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. M. T. Lane, accompanied by her daughter, Irene, and son, Hamilton, are expected from Evanston to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Lane's parents, Col. and Mrs. W. B. Britton.

Mrs. Frank W. Webster and little daughter Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy S. Bonstedt, of Milwaukee are guests of W. G. Palmer and family over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Theodore W. Goldin is very sick at her home in Milwaukee and her sister, Mrs. J. B. Humphrey, has been called to her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harlow and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garbutt have gone to Delavan to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark and daughter are shortly to move from the town of Johnson to their new home on Milwaukee avenue.

John Clark of the town of Johnson is to be married tomorrow evening to Miss Josephine Taylor of Whitewater at the home of the bride.

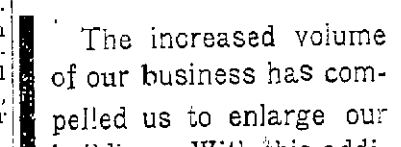
C. A. Bridgden, of the firm of Patterson and Bridgden, undertakers, Milwaukee, was in the city on business today.

Special Celebration  
Roast turkey, champagne punch, Tom and Jerry, at The Saratoga Thanksgiving day.

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## FUTURE EVENTS

Comedy, "An Aristocratic Tramp," at the Myers theatre Wednesday evening, Nov. 29.

Edwin Della and Hanford Hart in romantic Irish play, "The Kerry Fair," Thursday afternoon and evening at Myers theatre.

George M. Edwards left this morning for his home in Hazel Green.

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Sweet Cider, ..... 30c gallon

White Grapes, ..... 20c lb.

Cranberries, ..... 12½ qt.

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6-Piece Decorated White and Gold Toilet Sets, \$2.50  
10-Piece Decorated Toilet Sets, \$3.50  
12-Piece Decorated Toilet Sets, \$4.50  
12-Piece Decorated White and Gold Toilet Sets, \$6.00  
100-Piece Decorated Dinner Sets, \$7.00  
100-Piece Gold Decorated Dinner Sets, \$10.00  
Slop Jars With Handles in Embossed White Ware, \$9.00  
Fancy Snap Wash Bowl and Pitcher, \$5.00  
We have in our Christmas China: in cups and saucers, salad dishes, cake plates, sugars and creamers, olive dishes, and bread and butter plates.

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Glimpses of Joseph G. Cannon, Who Presides Over the Nation's Legislators

Veteran Statesman Who Has Kept the House in Roars by His Witticisms. Still Vigorous, Though Nearly Seventy, He Is a Hard Hitter, but Fair Fighter—Believes in Enjoying Life and Making Others Do the Same.

THE second officer of the government is the speaker of the house. Yet most people in referring to the present holder of the title would not allude to him as Speaker Cannon, but simply as Uncle Joe. The Uncle Joe-ness so sticks out all over him that it eclipses any official glory, however bright. He is not like any other man, past, present or to come. He cannot be classified. He is not a type, but an original. He says that "he made himself and did a damned poor job at it." At any rate, he did a job that no one can duplicate.

In speech he is not an orator, but a cyclone. He indulges in no circumlocution, but goes straight after an idea and either kills or cripples it at the first shot. If it happens to be a man he is going after he adopts the same process with similar results. He uses plain speech and homely illustrations. Though nearly seventy years old, he can fight all day and all night and be as chipper as a dancing minister for the next day's scrimmage. He never bears spite, and the wounds he leaves on others are of the sort that heal quickly. In other words, there is no malice in his attacks. He is a hard hitter, but fights fair. He looks like a dem-

is not just the term, for there is more or less affection about that idea of dignity, and there is no affection about Joe Cannon. Yet there is a certain dignity of the sort I mean even about a yellow jacket, and this is the kind that appertains to your Uncle Joe. He is genuine, virile, partisan to his finger tips and an all the time American. In speaking he beats the atmosphere, pounds his desk with both fists, keeps his body in constant motion and is as lively as a fly in a bottle. In fact, members in his immediate vicinity have to get out of the way for personal safety. He does not do these things for effect, but because he can't help it. They bubble out of him as spontaneously as a song out of a katydid.

### No Dull Moments in His Vicinity.

When Cannon first loomed into prominence he was referred to as "a big gun," but that pun became a hanging offense twenty years ago. Besides, a Gaudin is more in keeping with his rapid fire style. He usually keeps his temper, but now and then there is an explosion that clears the atmosphere for hours afterward. His blue eyes alternately twinkle with humor and flash with the fire of battle. His mouth

one speaks to the spirit of beauty in another."

Think of a congressman getting that off without ever stopping to take breath! If proof were needed that Cannon is a man out of the ordinary, that would furnish it. But proof is not required, for no one questions the statement.

It was Uncle Joe, by the way, who originated that pun about high cities. He was talking to a Chinese prince—through an interpreter, of course—when something was said about skyscrapers.

"Yes," said Cannon, "your Celestial excellency will find that the most characteristic three cities in this land are distinguished by some manifestation of highness. In New York we have high buildings, in Chicago high winds and in San Francisco high rollers."

Joe afterward tried to ring in something about highlanders, but that was too much, and the interpreter balked.

The Illinois statesman is a thorough believer in the victor taking the spoils, and it is asserted that he has secured his share. In every department he has secured appointments for his friends. His style of going after these places is characteristic. He pounds the desk in the same way and brings as vigorous arguments to bear as he would in advocating a bill in congress. Perhaps the dread in which Uncle Joe has been held as chairman of the appropriations committee had something to do with his success in landing jobs for his constituents.

### Greatest Pie Eater in Congress.

Cannon has the record as the greatest pie eater in congress. His doctor forbade meat eating because of gouty tendencies, so the speaker fell back on pie. Four pieces for lunch is not bad for a man approaching seventy.

Soon after being elected speaker Uncle Joe gave the newspaper boys a recipe for spending Christmas. He told them to take one drink, no more, and that should be straight whisky. After describing the ideal Christmas dinner he added that one should tilt back his chair, put his feet high up and light a cigar.

"Be so contented," he said, "that you even forget to cuss the scoundrel who wrote lies on you."

After giving that advice Uncle Joe went out to Illinois. When he got back he found several bushels of letters from temperance people protesting against his advice to take one drink of whisky.

Upon wading into these warm epistles for an hour or two Uncle Joe gasped to his secretary:

"Good God, Buster! What would they have said if I had made it two drinks of whisky?"

As speaker Mr. Cannon has not so many opportunities for his wit as formerly. Still he frequently gives vent to something that convulses the house. At the time the Philippines bill was on passage the Republicans paid little attention, and only a few scattering eyes were heard. But the rays from the Democratic side, were united and redoubtable.

"The rays seem to make the most noise," said the speaker, "but the eyes have it, and the bill is passed."

On the eve of his first election to the speakership one of the members came to bid him goodby.

"What do you mean?" said Cannon.

The member, remembering the metamorphosis through which other men had gone who had been elected to the position, replied:

"I suppose you'll be speaker now."

Waving his cigar toward the house, Uncle Joe said:

"In there I'll be speaker; away from there you'll find that I'll be Joe Cannon."

It has been even so.

"There's nothing like power," remarked a new member to Uncle Joe. "You feel like a regular czar or sultan at times."

"Yes," said Cannon reflectively. "There are times when I do. These are when I meditate on the fact that I have complete control over the barbers in the two shaving establishments of the house. I hold the sublimation over their heads, every one of them, and I get pigeon breasted when I contemplate it."

Some one asked the speaker his definition of a pessimist.

"A pessimist," said he, "is a fellow that goes around looking for thorns to sit on."

One day an obstreperous member refused to be seated and cease talking.

"The gentleman might as well quit," said the speaker, vigorously pounding the desk. "I can make as much noise as he can."

The member saw the point and subsided.

Here is another Uncle Joe-ism:

"A president without both houses of congress back of him doesn't amount to much more than a cat without claws in that place that burneth with fire and brimstone."

"Knows Whom to Bark at and When."

Holman of Indiana used to be called "the watchdog of the treasury." "But Cannon," said a man who had served with both, "is a better trained dog than Holman was. Holman barked at everybody and all the time; Cannon knows whom to bark at and when."

A visitor once asked for an appropriation, and Cannon said "No" so frankly that the man who had made the request seemed surprised and almost gratified.

"You asked me, didn't you?" said Uncle Joe. "Well, I told you. What did you take me for? Did you think I was going to fill you up with hot air and then not do anything?"

Cannon has an original sort of a bow, all his own. He needs about six feet square for the maneuver.

"I can't figure out," said the late Postmaster General Payne, "whether Joe thinks he is planting corn or hitching a horse."

Balks at High Hand Shake.

The speaker balks at the high hand shake. A young man tried it on him one day, but Joe said he didn't believe

## COLLEGE STUDENTS ON STRIKE

Object to System of "Cuts" and "Excesses" in Force.

Bellefonte, Pa., Nov. 20.—The entire body of over 500 students of State college, with the exception of the football squad, went on a strike and refused to attend classes owing to a disagreement with the faculty over the system of "cuts" and "excesses" in force this term. The students maintain that by saving up their "cuts" they should be entitled to take the time off at their pleasure, while the faculty claims the right to grant the time it sees fit.

Doctors' Company Is Barred.

Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 20.—The supreme court upheld the state of Ohio in barring the Physicians' Defense company from the state. The company, for a consideration, agreed to defend physicians in case they were sued for malpractice.

Public Printer Sworn In.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Charles M. Stillings was sworn in as public printer Tuesday. His first official act was to appoint Oscar J. Rickert's foreman of printing and to reappoint H. T. Brian clerk of the office.

Twelve Years for Shooter.

Montreal, Nov. 20.—Frederick Meeker,

arms mooney, or Cleveland, who shot at a Westmount constable recently, has been sentenced to twelve years in the penitentiary.

## Training Horses for Royalty.

All the horses in the royal stable at Windsor are specially trained before they are considered safe for riding or driving. After they have been broken in, they are driven past military bands, and are made to stand by railway trains and to hear them rattle. The horses are also accustomed to firing by taking them down on a field day to Aldershot.

## Look at Your Chin.

A pointed chin is a sign of mental acuteness and a taste for dramatic poetry and art, and, if angular, great discretion as well as determination may be looked for, while sharp indentations denote coolness and presence of mind in danger. A flat chin shows a puritanical sternness. — London Evening Standard.

## Substitute for Sugar Cane.

From South Africa comes the latest substitute for sugar cane. Its juice cannot be fermented, and for this reason the plant is to be developed for the manufacture of syrup.

## DRAGGING

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In my womb and ovaries," writes Mrs. Naomi Baker, of Webster Groves, Mo., "also in my right and left sides, and my menses were very painful and irregular. Since taking Cardui, I feel like a new woman, and do not suffer as I did. It is the best medicine I ever had in my house."



## To the Great Northwest

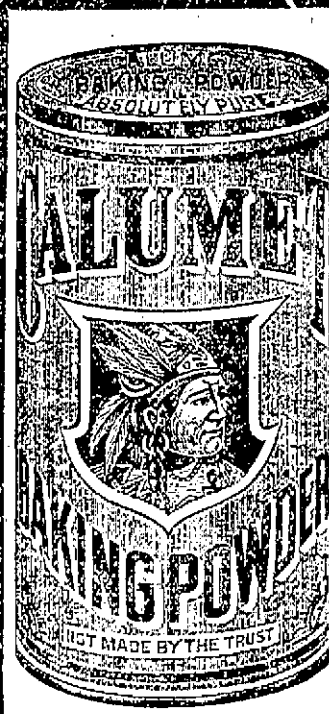
Should be the journey westward over the Northern Pacific Railway, through Yellowstone National Park by four-horse coach—a magnificent journey through a weird and marvelous land—thence through the great passes of the Rocky Mountains to the Puget Sound country. It is a scenic treat.

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## ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

(Special Telegram.)  
Elgin, Ill., Nov. 27.—Butter—steady; 24c; no offerings, no sales; output, 634,200 lbs.



con and swears like a pirate. Yet his faults are of an amiable sort that contain no blasphemy. They are simply vigorous adjectives. He always has a cigar except when asleep or in the speaker's chair. The cigar is usually cheap, long and black, and the various angles at which it is tilted indicate the mood of the possessor as certainly as the barometer indicates the weather. He wears spectacles, but decries to be pictured in them; says he looks old enough anyway.

### An All the Time American.

He is devoid of face, nearly bald, shaves his upper lip and wears whiskers that once were sandy, but now are lathest white. He is only of medium height, thin, gaunt and wiry, slightly stooping in posture and careless as to dress. His vest is usually half unbuttoned, and in action he sheds his coat and vest, often even his collar and cravat, and not infrequently rolls up his sleeves. Rather he did these things when he was a fighter on the floor. Since taking the chair it is essential for him to keep his wardrobe intact. He uses a desk for putting his feet on more often than for any other purpose, chews tobacco when not smoking, slaps his friends on the back, tells capital stories and generally enjoys life and makes others do the same. He has never been known to have the sweetest head, but is the same Uncle Joe now that he was before made "the king of the house." He has not a musical voice, but one that rages its way home. In private conversation he draws more or less, but says "no" with a finality that leaves no doubt of his meaning.

Yet for all his booziness he is not without a certain dignity. Perhaps that is why he is so popular. He is a hard hitter, but fights fair. He looks like a dem-

turns up at the corners, ready to slip into a smile at any moment. He is straightforward, startlingly frank and always interesting. There are no dull moments in his neighborhood. If a camp meeting exhorter and a horse jockey could be combined and the composite result was incarnated as a politician the result would be something like Uncle Joe.

When he was chairman of the appropriations committee, a place that he held for many years, he attempted one day to cut down the salaries of the scientists in the agricultural department. It was objected that good scientists could not be hired for less than \$3,000 per year.

"Why," retorted Cannon, "there are hundreds and thousands of scientists who would be glad to take the position at \$2,000, and whenever there is a vacancy scientists come rushing in for the place like a duck after a June bug."

### "Spirit of Beauty."

Here is a characteristic Cannonesque thing that Kate Carey declares the speaker got off in one of his inspired moments:

"I wouldn't give three whoops in a h— for any man whose heart would not beat faster, who would not breathe deeper, whose eyes would not take fire, whose spirit would not swell as it to strangle him, who would not be moved to the shedding of tears and that with-out any shame by the voices of birds and children, by a mother's smile, by a song that is sung greatly from the heart, by the face of a beautiful woman and the voice of her pleading, by noble oratory or the noble acting of actors on the stage, by any human art through which the spirit of beauty in

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# The Holladay Case

A Mystery  
Of Two  
Continents

By  
BURTON E.  
STEVENS

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"Yes—you mean, of course, her resemblance to his daughter."  
"Precisely. Such a resemblance must exist—a resemblance unusual, even striking—or it would not for a moment have deceived Rogers. We must remember, however, that Rogers' office was not brilliantly lighted and that he merely glanced at her. Still, whatever minor differences there may have been, she had the air, the general appearance, the look, of Miss Holladay. Mere facial resemblance may happen to a hundred ways by chance, but the air, the look, the 'altogether,' is very different—it indicates a blood relationship. My theory is that she is an illegitimate child, perhaps four or five years older than Miss Holladay."

I paused to consider. The theory was reasonable, and yet it had its faults.

"Now, let's see where this leads us," he continued. "Let us assume that Holladay has been providing for this illegitimate daughter for years. At last, for some reason, he is induced to withdraw this support, or, perhaps, the girl thinks her allowance insufficient. At any rate, after, let us suppose, ineffectual appeals by letter, she does the desperate thing of calling at his office to protest in person. She finds him inexorable—we know his reputation for obstinacy when he had once made up his mind. She reproaches him—she is already desperate, remember—and he answers with that stinging sarcasm for which he was noted. In an ecstasy of anger she snatches up the knife and stabs him; then, in an agony of remorse, endeavors to check the blood. She sees at last that it is useless, that she cannot save him, and leaves the office. All this is plausible, isn't it?"

"Very plausible," I assented, looking at him in some astonishment. "You forget one thing, however. Rogers testified that he was intimately acquainted with the affairs of his employer and that he would inevitably have known of any intrigue such as you suggest."

My companion paused for a moment's thought.  
"I don't believe that Rogers would so unwittingly have known of it," he said at last. "But, admit that—then there is another theory. Holladay has not been supporting his illegitimate child, who learns of her parentage and goes to him to demand her rights. That is the case, doesn't it?"

"Yes," I admitted. "It also is plausible."  
"It is more than plausible," he said quietly. "Whatever the details may be, the body of the theory itself is unimpeachable—it's the only one which fits the facts. I believe it capable of proof. Don't you see how the note helps to prove it?"

"The note?"  
I started at the word, and my suspicions sprang into life again. I looked at him quickly, but his eyes were on the cloth and he was rolling up innumerable little pellets of bread.

"That note," he added, "proved two things. One was that the writer was deeply interested in Miss Holladay's welfare; the other was that he or she knew Rogers, the clerk, intimately—more than intimately; almost as well as a physician knows an old patient."

"I admit the first," I said. "You'll have to explain the second."  
"The second is self evident. How did the writer of the note know of Rogers' infirmity?"

"Certainly—his color blindness. I confess I'm puzzled. How could any one else know it when Rogers himself didn't know it? That's what I should like to have explained. Perhaps there's only one man or woman in the world who could know. Well, that's the one who wrote the note. Now, who is it?"

"But," I began quickly, then stopped. Should I set him right, or was this a trap he had prepared for me?

His eyes were not on the cloth now, but on me. There was a light in them I did not quite understand. I felt that I must be sure of my ground before I went forward.

"It should be very easy to trace the writer of the note," I said.  
"The police have not found it so."

"No?"  
"No. It was given to the doorkeeper by a boy—just an ordinary boy of from twelve to fourteen years. The man didn't notice him especially. He said there was no answer and went away. How did the police find that boy? Suppose they do find him. Probably all he could tell them would be that a man stopped him at the corner and gave him a quarter to take the note to the corner's office."

"He might give a description of the man," I ventured.  
"What would a boy's description be worth? It would be at the best vague and indefinite. Besides, they've not even found the boy. Now, to return to the note."

"We had come to the coffee and cigars, and I felt it time to protest.  
"Before we return to the note, Mr. Godfrey," I said, "I'd like to ask you two direct questions. What interest have you in the matter?"

"The interest of every investigator of crime," he answered, smiling.  
"You belong to the detective force, then?"

"I have belonged to it. At present I'm in other employ."  
"And what was your object in bringing me here this evening?"

"One portion of my object has been accomplished. The other was to ask you to write out for me a copy of the note."

"But who was it pursued 'us up Broadway?"

"Oh, I have rivals!" he chuckled. "I flatter myself that was rather neatly done. Will you give me a copy of the note, Mr. Lester?"

"No," I answered squarely. "You'll have to go to the police for that. I'm out of the case."

He bowed across the table to me with a little laugh. As I looked at him his imperturbable good humor touched me.

"I'll tell you one thing, though," I added; "the writer of the note knew nothing of Rogers' color blindness. You're off the scent there."

"I am?" he asked amazedly. "Then how did you know it, Mr. Lester?"

"I suppose you detectives would call it deduction. I deduced it."

He took a contemplative puff or two as he looked at me.

"Well," he exclaimed at last, "I must say that beats me! Deduced it! That was mighty clever."

Again I bowed my acknowledgments. "And that's all you can tell me?" he added.

"I'm afraid that's all."

"Very well. Thank you for that much," and he flicked the ashes from his cigar. "Now, I fear that I must leave you. I've a good deal of work to do, and you've opened up a very interesting line of speculation. I assure you that I've passed a very pleasant evening. I hope you've not found it tiresome?"

"Quite the contrary," I said heartily. "I've enjoyed myself immensely."

"Then I'll ask you one last favor. My cab is at the door. I've no further use for it, and I beg you'll drive home in it."

I saw that he really wished it.

"Why, yes, certainly," I assented.

"Thank you," he said.

He took me down to the door, called the cab and shook hands with me warmly.

"Goodby, Mr. Lester," he said. "I'm glad of the chance to have met you. I'm not really such a mysterious individual. It's merely a trick of the trade. I hope we'll meet again some time."

"So do I," I said, and meant it.

I saw him stand for a moment on the curb looking after us as we drove away, then he turned and ran rapidly up the steps of the elevated.

The driver seemed in no hurry to get me home, and I had plenty of time to think over the events of the evening, but I could make nothing of them.

What result he had achieved I could not imagine. And yet he had seemed satisfied. As to his theory, I could not but admit that it was an adroit one; even a masterly one—a better one, certainly, than I should have evolved unaided.

The cab drew up at my lodging and I sprang out, tipped the driver and ran up the steps to the door. My landlady met me on the threshold.

"Oh, Mr. Lester," she cried. "Such a time as I've had this night! Every five minutes there's been somebody here looking for you, and there's a crowd of them up in your room now. I tried to put them out, but they wouldn't go!"

"What a time!" I exclaimed, and meant it.

"It is, for a fact," agreed Footloose Freddy.

Which gratuitous consolation so pleased Mr. Fitzrusher that he paid the fine of Footloose and walked with him from the justice court, continuing his comment upon the outrageousness of the proceedings.

"There's no such thing as justice in this community," asserted Mr. Fitzrusher.

"I should say not, pard," agreed Footloose Freddy. "Why, look. Day nabs you for movin' an' me fer sittin' still. Where does a man get off?"

"GOOD HINT FOR THE BALD"

All That Is Necessary to Get Rid of Botherome Flies Is to Carry Sugar.

Mr. Gillcuddy Minglebury writes us as follows, says the Cleveland Leader:

"It is not generally known that it is a simple matter for a bald man to relieve himself of the one great worry of the summer months, i. e., flies getting on his bald head. It is a well-known fact that flies have a marked predilection for sugar, and will eat it in preference to almost anything else."

"If you are bald, and you feel that a fly has alighted upon your head—which is easily ascertained, as the feet of the fly will create a slight tickling sensation as the fly walks around and around looking for trouble—if a fly has alighted on your head, then take out a lump of sugar which you may carry in your pocket for just such an emergency. Place the sugar on a shelf at the same altitude as the top of your head, and the fly will nine times out of ten leave your cranium for the sugar lump."

"By watching the sugar, you can see when it has as many flies as it can hold; then take another lump from your pocket and place it beside the first one. An ordinary lump of sugar will accommodate from 15 to 16 flies. One hundred lumps of sugar should be a sufficient quantity to carry in the pocket for ordinary emergencies."

How to Get Cream for Tea.

Always keep two basins for your milk, one larger than the other. Get your milk if possible before it has had time to cool, and put it in the small basin, place the basin of milk within the large basin and surround with cold water. Keep it in a cool place. So treated, milk will keep any reasonable time.

"My dear Mr. Lester," said the one who had given me the chair, "permit me to introduce myself as Rankin of the Planet. These gentlemen"—and he included them in a wide gesture—"are my colleagues of the press. We've been anxiously awaiting you here in order that we may propound to you certain questions."

"All right; fire away," I said.

"First, we'd like to have your theory of the crime. Your work this afternoon convinced us that you know how to put two and two together, which is more than can be said for the ordinary mortal. The public will want to know your theory—the great public."

"Oh, but I haven't any theory," I protested. "Besides, I don't think the great public is especially interested in me. You see, gentlemen, I'm quite out of the case. When we cleared Miss Holladay our connection with it ended."

(To be Continued.)

## JANESVILLE MARKET REPORT

Quotations on Grain and Produce for The Gazette.

REPORTED BY F. H. GREEN & SONS, DEALERS IN HAY, GRAIN, FLOUR AND FEED Nov. 28th, 1905.

FLOUR—1st Patent 125 to 135 and 1st and 2nd at 1.25 and 1.50 per sack.  
WHEAT—Chicago Cash, No. 1 and 2 North-west, 84¢ to 85¢.  
NEW EAR CORN—\$7.50 to \$8.00 per ton.  
RYE—New, 50¢ per bu.  
BARLEY—New, 35¢ to 40¢.  
OATS—New, 25¢ to 30¢.

TIMOTHY HAY—Retail at \$1.35 to \$1.50 per ton.  
Buy at 90 to 110 on.

FARM—Pure corn and oats, \$0.10 per bu.  
HAY—\$15.00 to \$17.00 sacked per ton.  
Standard Middlings \$18.00 sacked.

OLIVE MEAL—\$30.00 per ton.  
COYNE MEAL—\$18.00 to \$20.00 per ton.  
LAX—per ton, 18.50 to 19.50.  
SUGAR—Per ton, 18.50 to 19.50.

BUTTER—Dairy, 25¢ to 30¢.  
Creamery, 24¢ to 25¢.  
POTATOES—60¢ to 65¢.

Eggs—Strictly fresh, 20¢ to 25¢.  
Onions 50¢ to 75¢ bu.  
Poultry, live, 6 to 8 cents; old fowls 5 to 7¢.  
Ducks, dressed—10¢ to 12¢.  
Turkeys, dressed—15 to 18¢.

December wheat advanced 3/4¢ yesterday, closing at 83¢. December corn closed at 1/4¢ over Saturday. Oats remain unchanged. Speculative interest in provisions increased with slight advances. There are several changes in our local markets, as shown above. There is considerable corn being offered at present and price a little lower than last week. There is a good demand for strictly good oats, but most of the offerings are colored with more or less smut and foul seeds, which hurts the price.

There are liberal offerings of hay and straw, both loose and baled. Yet the prices remain firm for a No. 1 article. Fresh eggs are in good demand. Chickens are being offered freely and prices are declining. Turkeys, as usual, are very scarce and bringing good prices for the few offered. Potatoes are being supplied almost entirely from abroad in car lots.

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## EXTREMITIES OF THE LAW.

Where One Man Was Nabbed for Sitting Still and Another for Moving.

Mr. Percival Fitzrusher wore a frown and his automobile costume when haled into the justice court on a charge of exceeding the speed limit, relates the Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

"It's an outrage!" he asserted, vehemently and repeatedly, but the only friendly glance he got was from Mr. Footloose Freddy, who was taking things easy in a swayed chair and watching the proceedings with interest.

Mr. Footloose Freddy was also under arrest. His case was called first, and he was fined \$20 for vagrancy. Then the charge against Mr. Fitzrusher was on, and he, being guilty, was also assessed \$20 and costs.

"It's an outrage, a miserable outrage!" he repeated.

"It is, for a fact," agreed Footloose Freddy.

Which gratuitous consolation so pleased Mr. Fitzrusher that he paid the fine of Footloose and walked with him from the justice court, continuing his comment upon the outrageousness of the proceedings.

"There's no such thing as justice in this community," asserted Mr. Fitzrusher.

"I should say not, pard," agreed Footloose Freddy. "Why, look. Day nabs you for movin' an' me fer sittin' still. Where does a man get off?"

"GOOD HINT FOR THE BALD"

All That Is Necessary to Get Rid of Botherome Flies Is to Carry Sugar.

Mr. Gillcuddy Minglebury writes us as follows, says the Cleveland Leader:

"It is not generally known that it is a simple matter for a bald man to relieve himself of the one great worry of the summer months, i. e., flies getting on his bald head. It is a well-known fact that flies have a marked predilection for sugar, and will eat it in preference to almost anything else."

"If you are bald, and you feel that a fly has alighted upon your head—which is easily ascertained, as the feet of the fly will create a slight tickling sensation as the fly walks around and around looking for trouble—if a fly has alighted on your head, then take out a lump of sugar which you may carry in your pocket for just such an emergency. Place the sugar on a shelf at the same altitude as the top of your head, and the fly will nine times out of ten leave your cranium for the sugar lump."

"By watching the sugar, you can see when it has as many flies as it can hold; then take another lump from your pocket and place it beside the first one. An ordinary lump of sugar will accommodate from 15 to 16 flies. One hundred lumps of sugar should be a sufficient quantity to carry in the pocket for ordinary emergencies."

How to Get Cream for Tea.

Always keep two basins for your milk, one larger than the other. Get your milk if possible before it has had time to cool, and put it in the small basin, place the basin of milk within the large basin and surround with cold water. Keep it in a cool place. So treated, milk will keep any reasonable time.

"My dear Mr. Lester," said the one who had given me the chair, "permit me to introduce myself as Rankin of the Planet. These gentlemen"—and he included them in a wide gesture—"are my colleagues of the press. We've been anxiously awaiting you here in order that we may propound to you certain questions."

"All right; fire away," I said.

"First, we'd like to have your theory of the crime. Your work this afternoon convinced us that you know how to put two and two together, which is more than can be said for the ordinary mortal. The public will want to know your theory—the great public."

"Oh, but I haven't any theory," I protested. "Besides, I don't think the great public is especially interested in me. You see, gentlemen, I'm quite out of the case. When we cleared Miss Holladay our connection with it ended."

(To be Continued.)

## CHANGE IN TAGGART DECREE

Judge Eason May Make One Following Withdrawal of Affidavit.

Wooster, Ohio, Nov. 29.—An affidavit of prejudice was filed Tuesday by attorneys for Mrs. Grace Culver Taggart, recently divorced from Captain Elmore F. Taggart, in this city against Judge Samuel B. Eason, who heard the trial. Later the affidavit was withdrawn by consent. It has been intimated that there will be a change in the decree as to the ground for granting the divorce.

Mrs. Taggart's affidavit alleges that Judge Eason was prejudiced against her and that the judgment of the court in the divorce suit was against law and the evidence and that there were irregularities in the court during the consideration of the case. The affidavit also was directed against Judge John P. Maxwell, the only other judge in the district, because of alleged mutual regard between him and Judge Eason.

It is expected that a motion for a new trial will be made some day next week at the request of Captain Taggart.

## PEORIA DIVIDEND IS DECLARED

Many National Bank Depositors Are Paid Thirty Per Cent.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 29.—The first dividend declared by the failed Peoria National bank was paid Tuesday afternoon. The dividend amounts to \$150,000 and is a 30 per cent payment to 525 depositors who filed their claims before Nov. 16. There are 500 other depositors, 150 of whom have filed their claims, and Receiver Berry announced that they would be paid 30 per cent about Dec. 10. The receiver also announced that he expects to be able to declare a further dividend of 30 per cent before the Christmas holidays.

## DECIDES FOR THE HIGH BIDDER

State Printing Contract Upheld by Indiana Supreme Court.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 29.—Judge James Leathers of the superior court held that the state printing contract awarded to the W. B. Burford company, amounting to \$147,172, is valid, although the bid of W. L. Baker was \$12,600 lower, the court holding that the state printing board, which awarded the contract, has discretionary powers and is authorized to decide which contract was the lowest and best.

## Slayer Patrick Loses Point.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 29.—The court of appeals has denied the motion made in behalf of Albert T. Patrick for an amendment of the remittitur recording the court's dismissal of his appeal from conviction of murder in the first degree. The decision makes difficult Patrick's appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

## Fall Kills Teacher.

Mount Vernon, Mo., Nov. 29.—Emil Weiss, 60 years old, held in jail here, fell from the head of a stairway and fractured his skull, dying two hours later. He taught German in Chicago and Colombia, Mo. He will be buried by the county.

## Avoid Lynching in Missouri.

Mexico, Mo., Nov. 29.—Edmund J. Bailey, a miner who shot and killed Jay Lawder, secretary of the Lawder-Peterson Coal company, was hurriedly taken from the county jail here to avoid a mob which was organizing.

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If we can get competent men, we will by good team work build up the circulation of THE SATURDAY EVENING POST to unheard-of figures. It is now three-quarters of a million copies weekly, so nothing never before attained by a weekly magazine. We want one good man in this town to organize a selling force and push it thoroughly and systematically.

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## Takes Arsenic by Mistake.

Alexandria, La., Nov. 29.—By mistake Mrs. Jacob Loeb took a teaspoonful of arsenic for phosphate of soda. She died in a few hours. Her former home was Hunker Hill, Ill., and the remains were shipped there.

## Says Slayer Is Insane.

Collesville, Ohio, Nov. 29.—The jury rendered a verdict of insanity in the case of Wood Stuard, indicted for the murder of Marshal Horace Porter. Stuard is a brother of D. P. Stuard, clerk of the courts.

## Bucket-Shops Lose Suit.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 29.—The Indiana supreme court decided that telegraph companies cannot be compelled to furnish market quotations to brokerage firms which do a so-called bucket-shop business.

## Judge Isaac Blodgett Is Dead.

Franklin, N. H., Nov. 29.—Isaac N. Blodgett, formerly chief justice of the New Hampshire supreme court, is dead here.

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## IMPORT PARASITES FOR MOTHS

Government Authorities Plan to Spread Disease Among Destructive Insects.

Washington, Nov. 29.—Secretary Wilson has issued a regulation permitting the entry from Europe into the United States of the parasite of the gypsy moth, parasites of the brown tail moth, parasitized gypsy moths and parasitized brown tail moths. They will be used in the war on the gypsy and brown tail moths, the parasites spreading disease among them.

## Fire at the Proving Grounds.

New York, Nov. 29.—Several buildings at the United States proving grounds at Sandy Hook were destroyed by fire. The burned buildings include the machine shop, carpenter shop, plumbing shop, paint shop and blacksmith shop.

## Merchant Marine Commission.

Washington, Nov. 29.—The merchant marine commission met with Senator Gallinger, the chairman, to consider amendments to the merchant marine bill. Few changes will be made.



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We would like to help make your home as comfortable as possible by installing in your bedroom a beautiful "Standard" Porcelain Enamelled Lavatory. Let us tell you the cost; the price will agreeably surprise you. Send for booklet "Modern Lavatories."

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Results from its use are QUICK and PERMANENT.

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**MISS LUCY MAY,**  
5036 Forestville Ave.,  
CHICAGO.

whose photograph appears herewith has a most beautiful head of golden hair, thicker than the crown of glory of most mature women. Frances is only four years old, and her hair hangs within 12 inches of the floor. The extraordinary hair strengthening qualities of Danderine has grown for this little girl the most admirable head of hair ever possessed by a child of her age in the world. The other two ladies whose photographs are shown here are certainly delighted with the results they are getting. Neither of them having hair that would reach to their waists before beginning the use of Danderine.

IT IS POSITIVE AND PERMANENT IN ITS RESULTS.

When applied to the scalp on either old or young, it makes the hair sprout and grow thick, long and beautiful, and there is no waiting around for weeks and months to see results, either. Any druggist will refund the price if it does not accomplish every result we claim. NOW at all druggists in three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle. FREE To show how quickly Danderine acts we will send a large sample free by return mail to any one who sends this advertisement to the Knowlton Danderine Co., Chicago, with their name and address and 10 cents in silver or stamps to pay postage.

For sale and recommended by People's Drug Co., and King's Pharmacy

## RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

Chl., Mil. & St. Paul Leave | Arrive

Omaha and Denver, fast train.....	6:00 pm	10:15 am
Chicago, via Fox Lake, Bufton Parlor Car.....	5:10 pm	10:30 am
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Chicago, via Davis Junction.....	9:00 am	1:00 pm
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Beloit, Rockford, Elgin.....	9:00 am	1:00 pm
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Chicago & N. W. Leave Arrive		
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# CREW OF VESSEL FREEZE TO DEATH

Twenty-Six Men Perish When  
Ship Is Wrecked in  
Duluth Harbor.

## FIERCE STORM ON THE LAKES

Damage to Shipping Is Estimated at  
\$2,000,000, While No Guess Can Be  
Made as to Number of Lives That  
Are Lost.

PROPERTY LOSS.  
Oon Water (estimated), \$1,500,000.  
On Water (estimated), \$1,500,000.

### DAMAGE TO SHIPPING.

Total Losses.  
Mataafa, at Duluth, value, \$240,000.  
J. H. Outhwaite, at Cheboygan, \$40,000.  
City of Holland, at Rogers City, \$30,000.  
Crescent City, at Duluth, \$200,000.  
Damaged.

R. W. England, at Duluth, value, \$200,000.  
Rosemont, at Fort William, \$100,000.  
Isaac Ellwood, at Duluth, \$255,000.  
D. C. Whitney, at Port Washington, \$30,000.

J. M. Spaulding, Port Huron, \$5,000.  
Mary Mitchell, at Cheboygan, \$5,000.  
Harvey Bissell, at Alpena, \$2,000.  
F. A. George, at Sheboygan, \$5,000.  
Alcona and barge, at Green Bay, \$250,000.

Jim Sheriffs, in Lake Huron, \$20,000.  
Vinland, at Alpena, \$5,000.  
C. M. Warner, at Cheboygan, \$190,000.

Unknown, at Presque Isle.  
Missing.

Angelina, on Lake Superior, \$235,000.  
Panther, on Lake Erie, \$35,000.

James Mowatt, on Lake Huron, \$5,000.  
Judd, on Lake Huron, \$5,000.  
Mehogan, on Lake Huron, \$35,000.  
Mingoes, on Lake Huron, \$5,000.

Chicago, Nov. 29.—Seventeen vessels were driven ashore and five totally wrecked by a hurricane that swept westward over the great lakes Monday night and Tuesday. Six vessels are missing, caught between ports at the height of the storm. Fears are entertained for their safety.

No accurate figures of the loss of life are obtainable. With one exception the crews were removed from all the wrecks reported.

The exception is the wreck of the Pittsburg Steamship company's ore carrier, Mataafa, driven ashore near Duluth, Minn. On this vessel four men are reported to have perished, while at a late hour Tuesday night life savers gave up the attempt to rescue twenty-two men left on board.

It was reported earlier that these men were slowly freezing to death.

Damage May Be \$2,000,000.  
The damage to shipping and property done by the storm is estimated at \$2,000,000. Six of the vessels lost were big steel ships, regarded as among the strongest on the lakes.

Nearly all of the vessels lost were driven ashore and smashed on the rocks within sight of harbors. How many vessels foundered in midlake is not known.

Sailors who found refuge in time to save their lives and ship declare no vessel could live through the fury of the gale in the open lake. Scores of vessels were far from a sheltering harbor when the hurricane was fiercest.

### Worst Storm Since 1872.

Not since the storm that strewn the coasts with wrecks in 1872 have the great lakes been stirred to greater fury. A gale that developed in the night into a hurricane, blowing between sixty and seventy miles an hour, swept across and down the lakes. Lake Michigan from Milwaukee north and Lake Superior over all its area, were swept into mountainous seas for nearly fifteen hours. Blinding snow storms at different points added to the peril of the vessels running for shelter. This last was responsible for the beaching of several of the lost ships.

The storm was most furious on Lake Superior in the neighborhood of Duluth. There, in sight of the lighthouse that marks the entrance to the harbor, three vessels, including the Mataafa, were hurled to destruction.

### Strews the Coast.

Milwaukee reports at least two complete wrecks, while wreckage indicating more wrecks the shore from Lake park to Whitefish bay.

Every harbor from Port Huron north on Lake Huron, and from Sault Ste. Marie north on Lake Superior reports mishaps of more or less seriousness to shipping running for shelter from the gale. Piers, docks and breakwaters guarding harbors into which the lake was swept have been either destroyed or badly damaged. This item alone in the damage done by the storm will amount to scores of thousands of dollars.

Thrilling and heroic work by life saving crews in every coast swept by the hurricane prevented several of the wrecks from being attended by loss of life.

### MEN FREEZE TO DEATH.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 29.—In Tuesday's terrific gale three big lake steamers were driven ashore within sight of the lighthouse at the Duluth entrance to the local harbor. The worst of the wrecks was that of the Mataafa, a Pittsburg ore carrier. Twenty-six men comprised the crew. Of these four are known to have perished. It is feared that every life on board is lost.

Late at night, after repeated efforts to reach the vessel, the life saving crew gave up the task, until daylight.

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or until the gate subsides. When the vessel last was visible there was no sign of life on board. The cold is intense, and it is thought the men have slowly frozen to death.

Cold Slowly Kills Crew.  
When the life saving crew was able to reach the scene the men were too benumbed to be able to attach the breeches buoy cables. The sea was running too high to permit the launching of a surf boat, and no tug could last in the gale.

Finally the pounding of the sea broke the big steamer in two.

There was no one to grasp the life line which was shot across the wreck. Part of the crew was on the forward end of the ship, the rest in the after hold. All efforts to rescue the men have been given up.

## RIOT IN COURT ROOM

### SPECTATOR REFUSES TO MOVE

Willis McDonald Is Roughly Handled by Members of the Smith Family, Who Resist Action of Man Toward Their Sisters.

Jacksonville, Ill., Nov. 29.—As the result of a pitched battle between five witnesses in a murder trial and a spectator in the circuit court Tuesday afternoon one man lies in the county jail with three fractured ribs, numerous cuts, and severe bruises, another is nursing an ugly cut behind the ear, various members of the local bar have broken heads, Judge Owen P. Thompson is boiling with indignation, and the town is ringing with excitement. All the combatants were held in \$500 bond for contempt.

The riot was precipitated when Willis McDonald, who was seated among the spectators gathered to hear the preliminary proceedings in the trial of Alfred Thornbrough for the murder of Frank Smith, refused to move over and make room for the sisters of the dead man. Joseph Smith, Sr., Joseph Smith, Jr., David, Charles, and Leonard Smith, father and brothers of the women, took issue with McDonald, who was obstinate, and, after sharp words had been exchanged, the sextet mixed in a free for all fight.

Sheriffs to the Rescue.  
McDonald was getting the worst of it when Sheriff Wyatt and Boruff came to the rescue. The court ordered all the participants before him.

McDonald was seated directly in front of the bench and the Smith brothers were placed to the right about ten feet away.

After an examination McDonald was ordered placed on the bench beside the other offenders of the dignity of the court and the sheriff was attempting to execute the order when the Smith boys started for the enemy, who grabbed the chair in which he had been sitting and hurled it through the air, striking Joseph Smith, Sr., and seriously wounding him on the head.

Soon McDonald was on the floor and the Smith boys on top of him. Cuss-pidors were knocked over and the room assumed the aspect of a football gridiron. The deputies labored in vain to separate the combatants and Clerk Hayden and Master in Chancery Clark, former Judge M. T. Layman and others went to their aid.

Women screamed and many fainted. Clerks and officials from all departments of the courthouse building rushed to the rescue. Judge Thompson rapped vigorously for order, but the combatants continued in their struggle until forcibly restrained.

### Like Scene in Hospital.

When the smoke of battle had cleared away McDonald lay unconscious and bleeding on the floor. Smith, Sr. also was in a bad way, but came around under the attention of his daughters. Attorneys Layman and F. G. McAvoy were nursing bruises. Master in Chancery John Clark was cut on the face. The three deputies were breathing hard. Wyatt, one of their number, had been bit on the leg during the melee.

Judge Thompson, purple with rage, again called the rioters before him. His voice trembled with indignation as he said:

"The exceedingly disgraceful proceeding witnessed here, the like of which I have never seen in a court of justice, demands summary action. It becomes the duty of the court in order to maintain the dignity of a court of justice and in order to protect society against such proceedings to move in this matter. That the court intends to do, not hastily, but surely and ultimately to mete out to these offenders such punishment as the court deems adequate to the offense of which they now stand charged by the court."

The Smiths furnished bonds, but McDonald could get no sureties and was hurried to jail.

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\$3.50 \$4.00

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If your dealer does not keep them, we will send any style on receipt of price with 25c. additional to pay forwarding charges.

LEWIS A. CROSSETT, Inc., NORTH ABINGTON, MASS.

## AUCTION!

I will sell at public auction on my farm, known as the McGregor farm, one mile west and south of Avalon,

### FRIDAY, DEC. 1, 1905,

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

#### 40 HEAD OF CATTLE 40

19 Cows, 1 2-year old Heifer, 4 1-year old Heifers, 1 Bull, 15 Calves.

#### 65 HOGS--11 Brood Sows, 14 Spring Shoats, 30 Fall Pigs, 10 1-month old Pigs.

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## COAL TRUST CONTROLS LEHIGH VALLEY ROAD

First National Bank of New York Makes Deal Placing Public and Miners Under Thumb of Combine.

New York, Nov. 29.—Practical control of the majority of the capital stock of the Lehigh Valley railroad has been acquired by the First National bank of New York, acting for the coal combination and the allied trust lines. This deal, in conjunction with the recent purchase of the vast Cox Brothers interests, makes the coal trust complete and puts it in a position to dictate its own terms to the miners and general public. Knowledge of this and other developments is undoubtedly responsible for the recent pessimistic utterances of President Mitchell as to the future of the miner.

The Temple Iron company, a small corporation, the entire stock of which is in the hands of the presidents of anthracite railroads, is really the coal trust. It is through this corporation the output is limited and the prices which the public is compelled to pay for its coal are established.

The First National bank is arranging to apportion its control of Lehigh Valley among Erie, Reading, Jersey Central, Lake Shore and Lackawanna. The deal in many respects resembles the sale of Jersey Central to Reading and the division of Reading among Lake Shore and Baltimore & Ohio.

The recent great advance in the price of coal stocks has been due to the knowledge of insiders that the coal trust was about complete and that Lehigh Valley had been placed finally in a position where it could under no circumstances offer competition to or in any way interfere with the plans of the coal monopoly.

According to their last annual reports the Jersey Central owns \$1,000,000 Lehigh Valley stock and the Reading \$1,000,000. The Lackawanna holdings are not known. All of these roads have since added considerably to their Lehigh Valley holdings. Two years ago President Thomas said the Lake Shore had \$5,000,000 invested in Lehigh Valley stock. That alone is a large increase over the amount held in 1901.

### Odd Derivations.

Philologists claim that the phrase to "sleep like a top" comes from the French "dormir comme une taupe"—to sleep like a mole. It is said, too, that Cinderella's slippers were not made of glass, but of "vair," the old French word for ermine, which in time became corrupted into "verre," glass.

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